

City of Salem

FIRST PASSAGE

In the year Two Thousand and fourteen

An Ordinance An ordinance to amend ordinances relative to boats and waterways of the City of Salem.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Salem, as follows:

Section 1.

Chapter 10 – Boats and Waterways is hereby amended by

a) inserting the following new sentence between the first and last sentence of Sec 10-6.1 *Fishing Equipment, Restrictions*:

“Additionally, no person shall fish from any public pier or float, for recreation or otherwise, that has been duly posted as prohibiting fishing.”

b) deleting the phrase “and then only in time of emergency” within Sec. 10-10 *Tying Vessels to Piers*

c) replacing the phrase “30 minutes” with “20 minutes” as it appears in Sec. 10-11 *Tying Vessels to Common Landings*

d) deleting Sec. 10-21 *Notice to Harbormaster of Arrival of Vessel* in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

“Sec. 10-21. Notice to Harbormaster of Arrival of Vessel

All vessel owners, their representative(s) or receivers of petroleum products or any other cargo, shall tender a notice of arrival for any vessel intending to berth in Salem Harbor to the Harbormaster no less than 24 hours in advance. The notice shall contain the following information:

- (1) Date/time of arrival
- (2) Vessel type
- (3) Name of vessel
- (4) Registry
- (5) Crew manifest
- (6) Last port
- (7) Cargo type and amount

- (8) Consignee of cargo
- (9) Agent of vessel (if applicable)
- (10) Registered gross tonnage
- (11) Deep/Air draft
- (12) Receiving berth or wharf

e) adding a new last sentence in sub-section b) of Section 10-24 *Mooring Permit* as follows:

“Nothing in the section shall relieve applicable vessels from the notice requirement set forth in section 10-21.”

f) inserting two new sentences immediately following the third sentence in sub-section d) of Section 10-24 *Mooring Permit* as follows:

“Proper display of mooring permit decals, if issued, is mandatory. A \$15.00 fee may be assessed for the issuance of a duplicate decal.”

g) deleting sub-section d)(3) of Section 10-24 *Mooring Permit* in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

- “(3) Fee for commercial transient mooring, \$75.00 per year.
- (4) Fee for guest mooring (city owned), \$40 per day.”

h) deleting in its entirety Section 10-29 *Penalty for Violation of Section 10-6.1 and Sections 10-23 through 10-28* and replacing it with the following:

“Sec 10-29. Penalty for Violation

Any person who violates any of the provisions of section 10 or who refuses or neglects to obey the lawful orders of a harbormaster or who resists him in the execution of his duties shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50.00.”

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect as provided by City Charter.

In City Council April 24, 2014

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances, Licenses and Legal Affairs co-posted with Committee of the Whole

In City Council May 8, 2014

Adopted for first passage

ATTEST:

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