



## Greetings from Port San Luis Harbor District April 2019 Newsletter

**Harbor Manager Notes** - Welcome to the April 2019 Edition of the Port San Luis Harbor District Newsletter. This monthly newsletter is provided to you in an effort to keep the community informed about what's going on at the Port. Enjoy the news.

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**Upcoming Holiday Office Closures** – Monday, May 27<sup>th</sup> in observance of Memorial Day

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**Action from the April 23, 2019 Commission Meeting** - The agenda and staff reports can be found here: [April 23, 2019 Harbor Commission Meeting](#)

**Closed Session** included 4 items:

- Conference with legal counsel regarding the matter of *Lowry v. Port San Luis Harbor District*.
- Pursuant to Government Code §54956.9(d)(2): Conference with Legal Counsel – Anticipated Litigation. Number of potential cases: 1 (one).
- Pursuant to Government Code §54956.8: Conference with Real Property Negotiators. Property: Harford Pier Lease Site currently known as the Ice Facility (to be used for a Fish Market).
- Pursuant to Government Code 54956.8: Conference with Real Property Negotiators. Property: Harford Landing Trailer Boat Building Lease Site (to be used as a Retail Market, Deli, and/or Other Related Retail Services).

**Open Session** included 12 Consent items and 8 Discussion items. The discussion items were as follows:

- San Luis Yacht Club Small Boat Program: Reviewed program; approved.
  - FY 2019-20 Preliminary Budget – Major Maintenance and Capital Projects: Reviewed; staff provided direction.
  - Revetment and Jetty Repair: Reviewed assessment process for the repair of the revetment/jetty; staff to return with additional information.
  - Avila Pier: Further review of the recommendations from Moffat & Nichol; provide direction to staff to consolidate to one repair project.
  - Harford Landing Trailer Boat Building Request for Proposals: Reviewed, Brian Englund dba Kuma Café named as finalist.
  - Public Hearing – Mooring Permit Revocations: #671 (Caballero); reviewed, staff provided direction.
  - Staff Landing CEQA Exemption: Reviewed categorical exemption; Resolution 19-05 adopted.
  - Conflict of Interest Code: Reviewed and affirmed the proposed Conflict of Interest Code; Resolution 19-06 adopted.
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**Don't Miss Safe Boating Day at Port San Luis** – Make sure to visit the Port on May 19<sup>th</sup> for Safe Boating Day. Learn about safe boating, receive a boat safety check, exchange your lifejackets and meet the newest addition to Port San Luis Harbor District – Eddie the Otter!

**Upcoming Events**

**\*\*Board of Commissioners May Committee Meetings** – Thursday, May 16, 2019. Lighthouse Committee – 4:00 p.m.

**\*\*Board of Commissioners May Meeting** – The May meeting will be held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup> with Open Session beginning at 6:00 p.m.

**\*\*Safe Boating Day at Port San Luis** – Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Come and learn about boating, exchange your PFDs and meet the local Coast Guard Auxiliary Folks.



**MAY 19, 2019**

**PORT SAN LUIS SAFE BOATING**

Boating safety advocates locally and across the U.S have teamed up to promote safe and responsible boating, including consistent life jacket wear every time boaters are on the water, during National Safe Boating Week, held from May 18-24, 2019. Join us.

There will be free popcorn, the Harbor Patrol Sea Otter and a display and demo on safe kayaking by Avila Beach Paddlesports. Don't miss this great opportunity to learn more about Safe Boating.

**Life Jacket Exchange Event**

California State Parks Division of Boating and Waterways (DBW) has partners for life jacket trade-in events each year. Life jacket trade-ins provide recreational boaters the opportunity to have life jackets inspected by safety professionals. If a life jacket is found to be unserviceable or the wearer has outgrown the life jacket, a new, properly fitted U.S. Coast Guard-approved life jacket will be given in exchange. One life jacket per person, while supplies last.

**VESSEL SAFETY CHECK:** The U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary

FL 07-61 will have certified vessel examiners who will perform a free Vessel Safety Check ("VSC") on your boat at the wash out stations or in the parking lot. There is no charge and you will know that you have all the proper safety equipment for your boat.

**Port San Luis Safe Boating Day**

**SUNDAY 5/19/2019 10 am to 2 pm**  
**Port San Luis at Coastal Gateway Bldg**

**Quote of the Month** - "I'm only wishing to go a-fishing; for this the month of May was made.

~Henry VanDyke

**Lifejacket Exchange**  
**Coast Guard Aux Boat Safety Check**  
**Mandatory CA Boater Card**  
**Learn more**  
**Free boater safety literature**

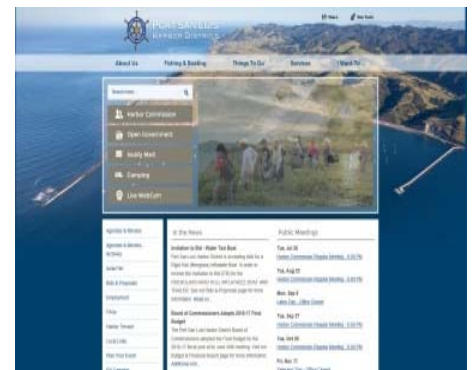
**Fish and Wildlife Wardens, Harbor Patrol and U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary displays**

**Steve Rogers**  
**Flotilla Commander**  
**US Coast Guard Auxiliary**  
**805 234-5999**



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**Our Mission**

To serve the public with an array of commercial and recreational boating, fishing, and coastal-related opportunities, while ensuring an environmentally responsible, safe, well-managed, and financially sustainable harbor that preserves our marine heritage and character.

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