



Hilton Head Boathouse
405 Squire Pope Road
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926
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2017 Hurricane Contract

Overview

The Hilton Head Boathouse Hurricane Storage Plan (the Plan) is designed to help local boaters arrange for the care of their vessels in advance of a hurricane. The Plan provides boaters with haul-out and storage services in the event a named storm makes landfall for the Hilton Head Island, SC area. (Assuming that the storm would likely have an adverse impact on boats left in the water.)

The Plan is available to both Customers and Non-Customers. Space is limited to 12 slips and boats will be stored inside the barn. Boat lengths up to 33ft and 14,000 lbs, confirmation of boat size may be required. There is NO LIMIT to number of storms. The Plan is effective with Hurricane warning issued by the National Weather Service and boats may be hauled out at that time.

Plan Fees

- Annual calendar year contract. (January–December)
- \$500.00 per year
- \$200.00 of contract price can be used towards a full annual service.
- Service must be done in the months of January–March or September–December. Membership in the Plan provides you a space (in accordance with the membership agreement).
- A \$100.00 additional charge applies if Boathouse personnel are required to secure the top side of your vessel. All rates are subject to change without notice.
- A \$100.00 additional charge for retrieving the customers boat from there dock and delivering it to the Boathouse for storage.

The Small Print

Due to unforeseen circumstances, haul-outs are not guaranteed. Some events that may prevent haul out are, but are not limited to:

- Equipment failure of the lift(s)
- Injury to critical personnel operating the lifts
- Reduced preparation time due to the arrival of a fast moving storm
- Failure of the Member/Owner to provide needed information regarding the vessel.

Responsibilities of the Hurricane Club Member:

1. Sign the Hurricane Storage Plan Agreement.
2. Adhere to all terms, conditions, rules, regulations of the marina and the Hurricane Storage Plan Agreement.
3. Be responsible for providing accurate contact information and keeping it updated at all times, including the contact information on the person responsible for delivering the vessel for haul-out.
4. Delivering the vessel for haul-out according to the re-launch schedule. During a Hurricane Alert TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE. When Hilton Head Boathouse declares a hurricane alert, members will given a time to have the vessel at the marina and ready for haul-out. Vessel must be delivered at that time, or the member will may forfeit that time and must wait until all other vessels in the plan are hauled. This could result in a member's vessel not being hauled.
5. Complete and sign the marina's standard haul-out work order form.
6. Secure or remove all rigging, equipment, and accessories on the owned vessel or agree to allow the marina staff to do the same for the stated fee.
7. As electrical service is not provided as part of this agreement Owners should empty refrigerators, freezers, etc. of all perishables.
8. Arrange for vessel pickup according to the re-launch schedule.

Responsibility of the Marina:

1. Prepare facility for hurricane haul-out and storage.
2. Make storage space available.
3. Notify the Plan Members of a Hurricane Alert using provided contact information.
4. Establish the haul-out schedule.
5. Revise haul-out schedule if customers do not deliver vessel when scheduled. Report such schedule changes to the office for customer contact.
6. Haul, block and store boats.
7. Inspect all stored boats and initiate activities to secure rigging, equipment, and/or accessories prior to the storm. Report this work to the office with vessel name for billing purposes.
8. Notify impacted members of any issues with, or cessation of haul-out activities.
9. Inspect all customer ground anchoring to insure that they do not impact operations or other vessels.
10. Secure marina upon evacuation
11. Secure the marina post-storm in the event of damage to the facility. Establish access control procedures for authorized government agencies, boaters, their insurance agents and authorized contractors for repair and/or salvage activities.
12. Report any damage to stored boats of Plan members as soon as practical upon return to the marina after the storm. Take reasonable and prudent measures to prevent further damage.
13. Establish a re-launch schedule and re-launch vessels subject to the schedule. Plan vessels may be placed in alternative locations in order to allow the marina to free up storage space in order to facilitate salvage operations, repair the facility, or return to normal operation. Vessels that are not removed according to the re-launch schedule may be placed in wet-slips or dry storage and additional fees apply.
14. Notify the Plan members of the re-launch schedule using contact information provided.



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This Dry Storage Agreement (“Agreement”) is for Storage Account # _____ commencing on _____ ending on _____.

Agreement Fee of \$500.00 payable in advance.

Boat Owner: _____ Email _____

Owner’s Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Credit Card Information:

Type of Card: _____ Number: _____ Expiration: _____ CSV: _____

I have provided the above credit card information, of which I am an authorized user and the responsible party for payment, to be held in my account file as guarantee of payment for all storage fees, service, and merchandise charges which are applied to my account. I agree to the charge and collection processes of Island Marine, LLC and authorize them to charge the past due balance of my account to this credit card should my account become more than 30 days past due. I will notify the Island Marine, LLC if this credit card is closed out and provide them with new and current credit card information to which they may use to guarantee my account balance. The failure of the credit card company to accept charges to my credit card for any reason may result in the account being sent to collection immediately

Vessel Information:

Make: _____ Model: _____

Length (LOA): _____ Draft: _____ Beam _____

Registration: _____

Upon receipt of the agreement fee, the named boat owner is granted the use of the designated boat storage for the term of this agreement. As part of the consideration for this agreement, the boat owner agrees to abide by the Island Marine, LLC Rack Storage “Rules and Regulations”, receipt of a current copy of which is hereby acknowledged. Failure of the boat owner to comply with the “rules and Regulations” may be deemed a breach of this agreement and shall be considered sufficient grounds for the boathouse to cancel the agreement. The boat owner agrees that the Island Marine, LLC may change storage assignments without advance notice. This agreement may not be canceled by the boat owner except upon giving one full calendar month written notice to the Island Marine, LLC and paying any outstanding bills then due. In the event of cancellation by either party, the Island Marine, LLC will refund the excess of the full term license fee, over an amount determined by multiplying the then current monthly agreement fee by the number of months elapsed from the commencement date above to the end of month date of final cancellation. No monthly prorating will apply. Storage space beyond the expiration of the prepaid agreement term can be assured only by advance payment of the then current fee.

This agreement, together with the “Rules and Regulations”, “Additional Contract Terms and Conditions”, and “Current Rate Sheet” attached hereto, constitutes the entire agreement between the parties, and no provisions hereof may be varied or altered except in writing and signed by both parties. This agreement, together with the “Rules and Regulations” and “Additional Contract Terms and Conditions” has been read by, and agreed to and all credit card authorizations given by the boat owner, who’s signature appears below.

By: _____ Boat Owner
By: _____ Island Marine, LLC
dba Hilton Head Boathouse