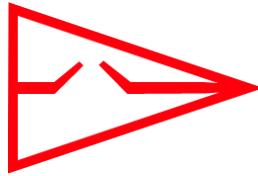


*All members and guests are expected to abide by these club rules to help protect our natural resources. Disregard for these rules or any illegal discharge of petroleum or raw sewage may result in the loss of your slip or land storage privileges.*



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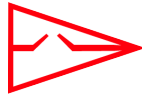
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### Tenant Environmental Pledge

I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand that the Eastport Yacht Club subscribes to and enforces pollution prevention procedures. I further understand and agree that in return for the privilege of performing work on a boat at this facility such as hull cleaning, washing, sanding, polishing and/or painting; bottom cleaning, sanding, scraping, and/or painting; opening the hull for any reason, e.g., installation of equipment or engine work; engine and/or stern drive maintenance, repair, painting; etc., it is my responsibility to comply with, at a minimum, the following pollution prevention practices. I understand that this list may not be complete and pledge that I will exercise common sense and judgment in my actions to insure that my activities will not deposit pollution residues in surface water or elsewhere where they may be conveyed by storm water runoff into the surface waters. I understand that failure to adopt pollution prevention procedures may result in expulsion from EYC marina and/or boatyard and forfeiture of rental fees.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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## 2022 Environmental Rules

For Marina Tenants, Land Stored Vessels and Visiting Vessels

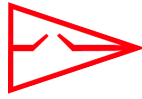
Eastport Yacht Club is a certified Maryland Clean Marina and our membership strives to protect our air, land, and waters of the Chesapeake Bay. We have created the following rules for all boats stored or visiting our club and marina. We ask our members to be ambassadors of this program and not only participate individually but encourage and educate other yachtsman to do the same.

### Emergency Spills and Contamination

EYC provides an emergency spill container at the end A dock adjacent to the hoist. This kit contains pads, containment resources or water spills, emergency contact numbers, flashlights, gloves etc. for the handling of contaminates. Should an emergency occur we ask that you immediately try to isolate the contaminate and contact club management so that we may assist in the proper cleaning of the area.

### Boat Washing

- No heavy cleaning is allowed in the marina
- Use only minimal amounts of phosphate-free, non-toxic and biodegradable cleaners
- Do not use any soap that leaves persistent foam in the water
- Spot clean and wipe down stains rather than hosing off harsh cleaners
- Divers should never be asked to clean ablative bottom paints. Cleaning of bottoms shall not remove any bottom paint in the water. Zincs shall be brought ashore.
- EYC does not have a Discharge Permit to allow us to wash bottoms painted with antifoulant paint on land. Rinsing (e.g. garden hose) dry sailed boat bottoms is OK but washing bottoms with typical bottom paints is not allowed.

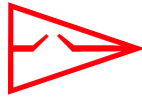


## Sewage

- Never discharge raw sewage within Maryland waters. This is an illegal activity.
- If you have an installed toilet you must have an approved Marine Sanitation Device (MSD).
- Do not discharge Type I or II marine sanitation devices within the marina basin.
- EYC provides a marina bathroom that is available 24 hours a day and 7 days a week and we encourage our members and guests to utilize these facilities rather than their mobile units.
- Do not empty port-a-pots overboard or in the restrooms. EYC provides a free pump out station located on the end of C-dock.
- If you must use a holding tank additive, use an enzyme-based product. Avoid products that contain quaternary ammonium compounds (QACs), formaldehyde, formalin, phenol derivatives, alcohol bases, or chlorine bleach.

## Bilges and Engines

- Maintain oil absorbent pads or booms in the bilge. Inspect no less than annually.
- Do not discharge bilge water if there is a sheen to it.
- Use vacuum pumps for any oil changes to prevent discharges
- Use only low-toxic anti-freeze (propylene glycol). Recycle used antifreeze (even low-toxic antifreeze will contain heavy metals once it has been used). The nearest facilities for recycling oil and antifreeze are as follows and a broader list may be obtained from the website [www.menv.com](http://www.menv.com)



**FREE**  
**Public Oil and Antifreeze**  
**Collection Tanks**

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Port Annapolis

7074 Bembe Beach Road

Annapolis, MD 21403

Monday-Sunday, 9am-4pm (Thanksgiving through March)

Monday-Sunday, 8am-5pm (April to November 20)

410-269-1990

Mears Marina

519 Chester Avenue

Annapolis, MD 21403

Monday-Sunday, 9am-4pm (Winter)

Monday-Sunday, 8am-5pm (Summer)

410-368-8282

For a complete list of collection tanks visit the website

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