

# NORTON'S SHIPYARD & MARINA, INC.

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To Our Valued Customers;

As you know, many new regulators & regulations are looking closely at the marine industry. Not only from CRMC, DEM, EPA, The Clean Air Act, The Clean Water Act, Save The Bay & The Army Corps Of Engineers, but more regulations are expected, similar to the Head Decal Program, Storm Water Run-Off, Point & Non Point Discharges and bottom washing recycling requirements, to name but a few!

We are attempting to comply with as many as possible, but as you can guess, none of them are inexpensive. Most Marinas have already instituted an environmental fee in order to be able to afford compliance. We find that we must also finally give in and charge this environmental fee. All bills, other than store cash sales, will from now on show a 2% (two-percent) environmental fee. We feel this is the most equitable way to evenly distribute this fee.

We also must look at the cost of running the sewer line all the way to king street, once we get past the objections of the East Greenwich Yacht Club, which may happen soon, or not!

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call me or stop in the office, and I will be happy to hear them.

Thank you in advance for your understanding and support.

Sincerely,

NORTON'S SHIPYARD & MARINA, INC.

***Patricia M. Norton***

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