

**ORDINANCE NO.** \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF SANTA BARBARA AMENDING THE  
MUNICIPAL CODE BY AMENDING SECTION  
17.20.005 OF CHAPTER 17.20 OF TITLE 17  
PERTAINING TO HARBOR SLIP ASSIGNMENTS.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA DOES ORDAIN AS  
FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Section 17.20.005 of Chapter 17.20 of Title 17 of the Santa Barbara  
Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

**17.20.005 Slip Assignment Policy.**

**B. SLIP RENTAL AGREEMENT.**

**3. Replacement Vessel.** If the vessel assigned to the Slip Permit is sold,  
donated, stolen, destroyed or otherwise permanently removed from its Slip, its owner  
must notify the Waterfront Department within 15 days of such event. The slip permittee  
must place a replacement vessel in the Slip assigned to the slip permittee within 18~~20~~  
days after the occurrence of the event causing the removal of the vessel assigned to the  
Slip Permit, unless granted a written exemption from the Waterfront Director. Failure of  
timely reporting of a sold, donated, stolen, destroyed or otherwise permanently removed  
vessel, or timely assignment of a replacement vessel, shall be grounds for termination  
of the Slip Permit.

**C. SLIP WAITING LISTS.**

**3. Lottery List.**

b. Procedure for Slip Assignment to Lottery List Applicants. A slip that becomes available for assignment to the Lottery List shall be offered for assignment to applicants on the Lottery List according to their rank on the Lottery List. ~~With the exception of assignments for twenty-foot slips, if~~ a slip assignment offer is declined by all applicants on the Lottery List, the slip shall be held in the Waterfront Department's visitor slip inventory for a period of six (6) months. After six (6) months, the slip assignment shall be re-offered individually to applicants on the Lottery List in the same order as the slip assignment was initially offered. If the slip remains unassigned after the re-offer, the procedure shall be repeated every six (6) months until the slip assignment offer is accepted. ~~If all applicants on the Lottery List decline a slip assignment offer for a twenty-foot slip, the slip assignment for the twenty-foot slip shall be offered for assignment through a separate twenty-foot lottery pursuant to City Council Resolution.~~

c. Procedure for Accepting or Declining a Slip Assignment Offer from the Lottery List.

(1) Acceptance of Slip Assignment Offer.

(a) Notification of slip availability shall be mailed by the Waterfront Department to the applicant at the applicant's most recent address on file in the Waterfront Department. Acceptance of the slip assignment offer must be submitted by the applicant in writing to the Waterfront Department within fourteen (14) days of the date of mailing the notice of slip availability. Acceptance must be submitted to the Waterfront Department in writing, ~~along with payment of a non-refundable Lottery List~~

~~Assignment Fee as provided in Section C.4.b.(3) herein.~~

(2) Declined Lottery List Assignment Offer. Failure of an applicant to accept a slip assignment offer in writing within fourteen (14) days of the date of mailing of such offer by the Waterfront Department ~~and payment of the Lottery List Assignment Fee as provided in Section C.4.b.(3) herein~~ shall be considered a declined offer. Declining a slip assignment offer will not result in removal of the applicant's name from the Lottery List, loss of the applicant's Lottery List Placement Fee, Lottery List Renewal Fee, or change in the applicant's position on the Lottery List.

#### **4. Slip Waiting Lists Fees.**

b. Lottery List Placement Fee, and Renewal Fee ~~and Assignment Fee.~~

~~(3) Lottery List Assignment Fee. A Lottery List Assignment Fee shall be paid by the applicant at the time a Lottery List slip assignment is made in an amount established by resolution of the City Council. Failure to timely pay the Lottery List Assignment Fee shall be deemed a declined offer.~~