

EAST LYME HARBOR MANAGEMENT

**NEW MOORING PERMIT APPLICATION**

**\* PRINT ALL INFORMATION \***  
Incomplete application will be returned to you.

This is a two-page Application Form. Complete both pages; initial page 1, and sign page 2.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Local address \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Are you a waterfront property owner? Yes / No

**MOORING AREA:** (circle one) Niantic River / Niantic Bay / Giants Neck / Smith Cove

ATTACH A DRAWING OR COPY OF CHART SHOWING SPECIFIC LOCATION DESIRED

Show latitude and longitude if known: N41. \_\_\_\_\_ W72. \_\_\_\_\_

**VESSEL:** (Must be registered in accordance with Connecticut law)

Registration or documentation # \_\_\_\_\_ (circle one) Sail / Power

Make of vessel \_\_\_\_\_ Name of vessel \_\_\_\_\_

Length \_\_\_\_\_ Beam \_\_\_\_\_ Draft \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_

**MOORING:** Who will inspect/install mooring? \_\_\_\_\_

When? \_\_\_\_\_ **NEW MOORINGS MUST HAVE THE INSPECTION FORM HM 3 COMPLETED AND SIGNED BY AN APPROVED INSPECTOR. THIS FORM DESCRIBES YOUR MOORING TACKLE AND BECOMES A PART OF THIS APPLICATION. HAVE YOUR INSPECTOR CONTACT THE HARBOR MASTER FOR APPROVAL OF LOCATION BEFORE SETTING MOORING.**

Mooring tackle must meet or exceed minimum standards as shown on Form HM 2. Current permit decal must be affixed to your mooring buoy immediately after receipt. Winter marker must display your permit number and be visible two feet above water at all times or it may be pulled as a navigation hazard without notice. **NO WOODEN MARKERS ALLOWED.**

Annual permits expire on December 31. In January, a renewal application will be sent to your mailing address for you to submit by March 31. No mooring may be left unused for more than one year without written permission of the Commission.

APPLICANT INITIAL HERE \_\_\_\_\_

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Connecticut General Statutes in Chapter 444a, Section 22a-113r provides inter alia "...no mooring or anchorage shall be placed in the harbor without a permit from the Harbor Master". The East Lyme Town Ordinance under Section 6a(1) states "The Harbor Master must approve the location of all moorings within the East Lyme Harbor Management Area"; also, "It shall be a violation of this Ordinance for any person to place any individual/private or commercial mooring in the Harbor Management Area without a permit from the Harbor Master." Under Section 6g; "All applications for a new mooring permit or renewal of an existing permit shall be accompanied by an appropriate fee as may be established by the Harbor Management Commission and adopted by the Board of Selectmen."

N.B. I understand and agree that proper installation and maintenance of my mooring tackle is my responsibility, and neither minimum standards nor inspection requirements outlined by the Harbor Management Commission can guarantee any vessel's security, especially in severe weather conditions. If this application is approved, I agree to hold harmless the Town of East Lyme, the members of the Harbor Management Commission, the Harbor Master and anyone acting on his behalf, for any personal injury, property damage, or liability of any kind resulting from the location and use of mooring tackle which meets or exceeds the recommended minimum standards.

I have read and understand the above and agree to comply with all requirements and directives of the Harbor Master and the Harbor Management Commission.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mail this form with \$25 fee (payable to Town of East Lyme) to:  
Harbor Master, East Lyme Town Hall, PO Box 519, Niantic CT 06357

Space below for Harbor Master use only

PERMIT # \_\_\_\_\_ issued on \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ Harbor Master

Placed on wait list:

Other action: