

PUBLIC NOTICE

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ALTERATION OF A U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS CIVIL WORKS PROJECT PURSUANT TO 33 USC 408: MARINA STRUCTURES NORWALK HARBOR FEDERAL NAVIGATION PROJECT (FNP) NORWALK, CONNECTICUT

Interested parties are hereby notified that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New England District (USACE) is evaluating plans under 33 U.S.C. 408 (Section 408) to install additional marina structures in Norwalk Harbor proposed by 80 Seaview Avenue, LLC. The proposed structures will be installed within the 3:1 buffer zone of the USACE maintained 6' deep Norwalk Harbor Federal Navigation Project (FNP) Anchorage located at 80 and 84 Seaview Avenue, Norwalk, Connecticut. The direct impact to the FNP offset is the installation of two (2) 3' by 12' floating docks supported by two (2) timber pilings. The new structures will sit approximately 10' from the Norwalk Harbor FNP anchorage.

This Notice is being issued pursuant to 33 U.S.C. 408 and USACE Engineering Circular (EC) 1165-2-220. Section 408 allows USACE to grant permission for the alteration, occupation, or use of a USACE civil works project if it is determined that the activity will not be injurious to the public interest and will not impair the usefulness of the Federal project. USACE has made the preliminary determination that the installation of a new structures within the FNP offset will not have a negative impact on public interest, use, or our ability to maintain the Norwalk Harbor FNP. The public is invited to provide comment associated with this Section 408 evaluation. To request more information contact: Christina Comeau, New England District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, 696 Virginia Road, Concord, MA 01742, (978) 318-8705, <u>Christina.M.Comeau@usace.army.mil</u>. The comment period will end on April 5th, 2025. Letters should be postmarked by this date.