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Happy New Year,

The 2021 season will soon be here, and we are excited about the many new ideas, programs and projects that will be taking place during this season and in the future. Our biggest change will be welcoming a new Marina Manager to our operations. We expect this individual to bring a great deal of knowledge and expertise which will continue to keep the Mentor Marina on the path to success and splendor.

We will start accepting deposits for the 2021 boating season on January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021. There will be (1) one non-refundable deposit of \$400.00 due by March 1, 2021 to secure your dockage for the upcoming boating season You can call the Mentor Marina office at 440.205.3625 from 11:00-4:00pm Monday - Friday, or the Parks and Recreation office at 440.974.5720 from 8:00am to 5:00pm Monday through Friday. Any dock that does not have a deposit paid by March 1, 2021 will be put into circulation for re-rent.

All docks must be paid in full by May 1, 2021. When you make your final payment, your boat fees and any point-of-sale items needed will then be added to your total balance. Before the final payment can be processed, we will require a signed contract, your OH number for any vessel being docked or stored at the Marina and copy of your insurance. Once final payment is processed, each docker will receive their 2021 gate cards and stickers. Any dock that has a remaining balance after May 1 will be put into circulation for re-rent.

As we do annually, we have updated the contract for 2021 as it relates to the rules and regulations for managing the Marina. You can review the revised contract and price sheet at cityofmentor.com/departments/parks-recreation/registration/boating. As a reminder, the Marina will open on May 1<sup>st</sup> for the 2021 season. We have instituted a couple changes and will be enforcing policy for the upcoming boating season as outlined in the contract:

- 1. All OH numbers must be on file/entered into our system prior to final payment being received.
- 2. Docked jet skis will be assessed a charge.
- 3. All extra boats and trailers will have a designated area on the Marina grounds. They will NOT be permitted on your lot or located on the commons within the Marina.

We are extremely excited about the 2021 boating season and we have many projects that we are working on to enhance the Marina and your experience. Some of the projects/changes include: A new Marina Manager, 500+ additional feet of bulkhead replacement on "D" dock, new parking plan, new boardwalk addition on the edge of the marsh, food truck partnership, limited concert series, event planning with the Mentor Lagoons Yacht Club, and much more. We all have a lot to look forward to for the 2021 season!

Have a great day and stay safe,

Kenn Kaminski Director of Parks and Recreation