



Around the Docks

Satsop Business Park Westport Marina Coastal Innovation Zone Bowerman Airport PGH Pilotage Services Friends Landing & Sterling Landing

PGH Mission: To best utilize our resources to facilitate, enhance and stimulate international trade, economic development and tourism for the region.

Industry Recognition

Satsop's "Think Big" campaign wins big in AAPA Communications Awards

The American Association of Port Authorities (AAPA) has awarded the Port of Grays Harbor an Award of Excellence for its "Think Big: Satsop Business Park" entry into the 53rd Annual AAPA Communications Award Program.

The entry was submitted in the Overall Campaign category and highlighted the use of the Park's unique and large infrastructure as a successful marketing campaign utilizing print and digital ads, billboards, banners, and other promotional materials.

"The "Think Big" campaign has brought measurable results to the Park and it is an honor to be recognized by AAPA for those efforts," shared Commissioner Phil Papac. "We congratulate our hardworking staff on a job well done."



Investing in Infrastructure

Westport Marina dredging to begin September 4th

Phase II – In-water disposal Federal Channel – NO dredging
 Phase I – Upland disposal Phase I – In-water disposal



The Westport Marina, Washington's number one seafood landing port, will be offering walking tours of its busy working waterfront in August. Photo Credit: Lost River Photography

Serving thousands of commercial and recreational users each year, the Westport Marina will be dredged for the first time in 39 years beginning September 4th.

The project will take place in two phases, carried out by two contractors working in coordination to limit user impacts and improve efficiency. The project is expected to be completed by January 31, 2020.

Phase I will commence the first week of September with Bergerson Construction beginning in-water work near floats 15 & 17. The work will include dredge material being disposed of in an upland site via pipeline. Phase II will begin shortly after Phase I and be carried out by Pacific Pile and Marine. Phase II

dredging will include in-water disposal via pipeline to the permitted Point Chehalis disposal site.

"We are excited to get this critical project underway and are confident our contractors have put together a well-coordinated plan to keep the project on track and minimize impacts to our diverse user groups," explained Westport Marina Business Manager Molly Bold. "Communication and cooperation with our users will be critical over the next several months. Once complete, we are confident this project will benefit them for many years to come."

For the most up-to-date information regarding Marina dredging please visit portofgraysharbor.com or call 360-533-9562.

BHP submits revised application for Terminal 3 project



In early August, BHP submitted revised land use and shoreline permit applications, as well as a new SEPA checklist to the City of Hoquiam for a proposed potash export facility at the Port of Grays Harbor's Terminal 3 property in west Hoquiam.

The revised applications are a result of several months of stakeholder and agency engagement and feedback. For more information about the project and to view the application and assessments, visit www.bhp.com/pghpotashexport

 Honoring Port Leadership

Our Aberdeen dedicates new maritime history mural to Jack Thompson

Aberdeen's newest mural, "Grays Harbor, A Maritime History", located on the side of historic Billy's restaurant was recently dedicated to late Port Commissioner Jack Thompson.

Our Aberdeen commissioned the mural in 2018. It was designed and painted by local artist Jenny Fisher and showcases the various types of ships that have been a part of Grays Harbor's maritime past.

Commissioner Thompson was active in the Our Aberdeen organization and passionate about improving downtown Aberdeen. His family and friends joined in the mural dedication that reads, "Remembering Jack Thompson, A Man of the Harbor".



Calendar

- August 29 Westport Marina Walking Tour, 3:30pm
WL Kirillow@ T2
- September 2 *Siem Plato@ T4*
- September 7 *GH Northern Dancer @ T2*
Daiwan Champion@ T2
- September 10 PGH Commission Meeting, Westport Maritime Museum
9:00am
- September 15 *Siem Socrates@ T2*
- September 26 Satsop Walking Tour, 3pm



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