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**PORT & HARBOR, HOMER ALASKA
 BEACH/BARGE RAMP USE AGREEMENT**

Rule 34.29 Subsection 270 of the Port of Homer Terminal Tariff No. 600. The use of beaches and barge ramps under City ownership or control, must be approved by the Harbormaster. A beach use agreement will be filled out and signed prior to use of the beach. The Harbormaster shall charge the current tariff fee for use of these facilities. Charges for extended beach or barge ramp use may be adjusted by the Harbormaster under appropriate circumstances. **The user of any beach area or the barge ramps must repair any damage to the beach or ramp and remove all debris.** Failure to make such repairs and removal will result in repairs and cleanup by harbor staff. The costs incurred by harbor staff will be fully charged to the user. Labor rate for harbor staff will be as per the Tariff, plus appropriate equipment rental and material costs. Sandblasting of vessel hull is not permitted on City beaches or barge ramps; water blasting using pressures that result in removal of paint is also prohibited. No paint chips or other paint materials are to be put into the water as a result of any maintenance done on the beach or ramps. **Any person convicted of a violation as defined in Homer City Code Chapter 10.08, Protection of the Harbor and Waterways, shall be punished by the fine(s) stated therein. In addition to the requirements set forth in this chapter, certain federal, state, local, and international laws and regulations, including but not limited to environmental, health, safety and sanitation laws and regulations, are applicable to the Homer Harbor and waterways in the City. All persons are hereby warned and placed on notice that they are responsible for determining their obligations under such laws and that they may be subject to applicable penalties, fines, imprisonment, and other forms of liability for violation of such laws and regulations.**

Notice Re Potential Hazards: The beach landing, small barge ramp inside harbor, and large barge ramp outside harbor may have rocks or other debris or hazards that could potentially cause damage to the vessel hull as it sets down on this material at low water. You must inspect the facility and determine whether it is suitable. By using the facility, you agree that you will be solely responsible for any damage to the vessel, and the city shall be released from all liability.

VESSEL NAME _____ OFFICIAL NO. _____ LOA _____
 OWNER _____ PHONE # _____
 ADDRESS _____
 AGENT OR OPERATOR _____ PHONE # _____
 ADDRESS _____
 NATURE OF WORK TO BE PERFORMED _____

On behalf of the vessel, the owner (including any charterer), and myself, I have inspected or will inspect the facility at low water prior to using the facility and do hereby agree to accept full responsibility for any and all damages and removal of all debris occurring as a result of the vessel using the beach or barge ramps, and do hereby release the city from all liability for such damage. I am fully aware of and hereby agree to comply with the regulations as set by the Port of Homer Terminal Tariff No. 600 and HCC Chapter 10.08. I hereby verify that all the information I have given concerning the above vessel is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that I shall be held responsible for any inaccurate information I have given.

This agreement will be effective as long as I or my vessel are using the beach or barge ramp. The date(s) I anticipate using the beach or barge ramp are: _____ facility to be used is: (Check one)
 _____ City Beach landing; _____ Barge ramp inside harbor; _____ Barge ramp outside harbor;

I enter into this agreement of behalf of the vessel, vessel owner (including any charterer), and myself, and represent that I have full authority to do so on their behalf. I personally guarantee the payment of all charges.

 Signature

 Signature of Harbormaster or
 Deputy Harbormaster

 Title (owner, agent, operator) Acct # Date

