



Special Emergency Meeting of August 25, 2020

**Santa Cruz Port Commission
EMERGENCY MEETING MINUTES**

Commissioners Present (via teleconference):

Stephen Reed	Chairman
Toby Goddard	Vice-Chairman
Dennis Smith	Commissioner
Darren Gertler	Commissioner
Reed Geisreiter	Commissioner

SPECIAL OPEN SESSION

Chairman Reed convened the emergency meeting immediately following the regular public session at 8:00 pm via teleconference at the Santa Cruz Harbor Office, 135 5th Avenue, Santa Cruz, CA.

Port Director Olin stated that the purpose of this meeting is to discuss Santa Cruz Port District's response measures to the CZU Lightning Complex Fire.

Discussion: In recognition of the hardships faced by many members of the Santa Cruz County community affected and displaced by the wildfire, the Commission expressed support for participating in the community-wide effort to assist evacuees during this time of need.

The following response measures were implemented:

- Santa Cruz Harbor RV Park spaces in the north harbor to be made available for exclusive use by Santa Cruz area fire evacuees on a first-come-first-served basis (11 hook-up and 4 overflows) through October 31, 2020. 7-day maximum stay limit is waived.
- Fire evacuees who are current slip licensees may stay aboard their vessels with members of their immediate family. Liveaboard fees and variable utility fees are waived for fire evacuees through October 31, 2020. Slip licensees who wish to temporarily liveaboard are requested to register with the harbor office. The number of people living aboard cannot exceed vessel safety standards.
- Reduced rates for the temporary storage of vehicles and trailers for members of the community displaced by the fire. Vehicle camping is not allowed.

Chairman Reed adjourned the special public emergency session at approximately 9:00 pm.



Marian Olin, Port Director