## YEAR TOWN OF STRATFORD, CT STICKER NO. **BOAT LAUNCHING AND HAULING PERMIT REGISTRATION FORM** TODAY'S DATE CIRCLE ONE BELOW \$ FEE RESIDENT OR NON-RESIDENT BOAT OWNERS NAME (Print Below) TRAILER LICENSE PLATE NO. ADDRESS AS SHOWN ON TRAILER REGISTRATION (Print Below) STREET & NUMBER Plate Number & State Town or City Zip Code State BOAT MAKE **BOAT REGISTRATION NUMBER BOAT LENGTH BOAT COLOR** CT

## Town of STRATFORD WATERFRONT - HARBOR MANAGEMENT COMMISSION BOAT LAUNCH FACILITY RULES & REGULATIONS

- 1. Caution must be exercised at all times when launching vessels at a town facility. Low water may be encountered between the launch ramp area and the federal channel during low periods in the tide range. [Conn. Gen. Stat. 7-148].
- 2. Any person using a Stratford Boat Launch Facility must assume the risks inherent in its use and agree to hold the Town of Stratford harmless for any and all property damage sustained while using the facility. It is strongly advised that persons using our facility maintain proper and adequate insurance coverage on their vessel to protect against loss.
- 3. A permit is required for all vessels launched at a Stratford Boat Launch Facility. Said permit must be clearly visible and affixed to the winch stand of the vessel trailer. Permits may be obtained from the STRATFORD RECREATION DEPT., Dorn Drive, Stratford, CT, or other selected outlets in Stratford.
- 4. All vehicles with vessel trailers must park in the south section of the parking lot in the area reserved for such use.

  All other vehicles without vessel trailers must park in the north section of the parking lot. Any vehicle and/or vessel trailer found in violation of this parking regulation shall be subject to cancellation of its launch permit. [Stratford Town Code 60-3]
- 5. Launch permits are not transferable. [Stratford Town Code 60-4]
- 6. No person shall swim, dive or fish in the waters off the launching ramp or from the catwalk or float at the Birdseye Boat Launch Facility. Fishing only permitted from the north side of the facility, on the fishing pier. [Stratford Town Code 60-5]
- 7. No person shall tie a vessel to any dock or floating appurtenant, partly or entirely within the launch ramp area, except to let passengers on or off the vessel, or, to load or unload supplies and equipment. [Stratford Town Code 60-6]
- 8. All garbage and refuse must be properly disposed. The cleaning of fish is strictly prohibited at the facility.
- 9. All children under the age of 12 years must wear a United States Coast Guard approved personal floatation device while on any facility dock. [Conn. Gen. Stat. 7-148(7)(A)(ii).
- 10. No bicycles are allowed on any facility dock. [Conn. Gen. Stat. 7-148(7)(A)(ii)J

Any person convicted of any willful violation of a municipal ordinance, resolution and/or regulation shall be fined \$100.00 for each offense.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM THE OWNER OF THE BOAT DESCRIBED ABOVE AND THAT ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED ABOVE IS ACCURATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

SIGNATURE OF BOAT OWNER