**Post-seizure**

Port of Astoria Boatyard

422 Gateway Ave.

Suite 100

Astoria, OR 97103

503-791-7731

July 29th, 2025

David Schultz

360 612-500 Country Hills Blvd.

Calgary Alberta Canada T3K5K3

**RE: Post-seizure notice for motor vessel named Captain Conner**

Dear David Schultz

The Port of Astoria seized a 1943 wooden motor vessel 65 feet in length; on July 24, 2025 at 4:30 PM at the Port of Astoria boatyard.

Our records indicate that you are the current owner of this boat. The boat was seized under authority of ORS 830.911 as a derelict and abandoned vessel due to being left at the boatyard without authorization and payment for the active storage area.

You, as owner of this boat, are liable for salvage, towing, storage and disposal costs incurred by the Port of Astoria and the Oregon State Marine Board. The costs to date are $3,073.72 for the towing and storage of the boat. Estimated demolition and waste hauling costs are an additional $20,000.00 for a total estimated cost of $23,073.72.

You may immediately reclaim the boat by presenting proof of identification and payment of costs that have accrued. Due to carrying a continual owing balance you will be required to keep a credit card on file for autopay at the end of each billing month. You must also tender a construction performance bond on the vessel with the Port of Astoria named as the “Owner”. Furthermore, you must provide proof that you can move the boat to a place where the boat can be lawfully kept.

Failure to reclaim the boat and pay the costs of salvage, towing, and storage by **September 5th at 4:30 PM** will cause the title to the boat and all personal property found in the boat to be vested with the Port of Astoria. The port may then sell or otherwise dispose of the boat. If the boat is sold, the liability imposed under ORS 830.938 shall be reduced by the net proceeds of the sale. The costs incurred will be paid from the Oregon State Marine Board’s Salvaged Vessel Subaccount; however, you, as the owner, will remain liable for any outstanding salvage, towing, storage and disposal costs.

You may request a hearing by submitting a written request no later than **August 15th at 4:00 PM** to the Port of Astoria 422 Gateway Avenue Suite 100 Astoria OR 97103. The request for hearing must include a statement of the specific grounds on which the seizure is challenged and whether you challenge the reasonableness of any salvage, towing or storage costs incurred by the Port of Astoria and the Oregon State Marine Board.

If you have any questions please direct them to Brendon Stock Boatyard Manager Port of Astoria

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