MANATEE ZONES

- **Follow all posted regulations.**
- **Weekends and holidays:** Slow speed, minimum wake.
- **Monday-Friday:** In certain posted areas, 25 MPH with a maximum 15-inch wake.
- **ALWAYS:** Maintain a slow speed within 50 feet of the shore.
- **WATCH** for inexperienced paddleboarders, kayakers, and personal watercraft.

NAVIGATING THE NEW RIVER

Captains, monitor VHF Channel 9.

Bridge Schedules

BRIDGES WILL NOT OPEN

from 7:30 - 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 - 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, during rush hour traffic.

Use VHF Channel 9 to communicate with bridge tenders.

Recommended Security Calls

Inbound in Order

- Entering the New River at channel marker "5"
- Tarpon Bend
- The Church
- The Girl's School
- The Tunnel
- SE 3rd Avenue Bridge
- Andrews Avenue Bridge
- New River Railroad Bridge (if closed or if your vessel needs room to maneuver)
- 7th Avenue Bridge (William H. Marshall)
- South River Fork
- Little Florida
- Ducksville
- The Wiggles
- Davie Boulevard Bridge
- CSX Railroad Bridge
- I-95 Underpass

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CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE

WATERWAYS GUIDE

IMPORTANT CONTACTS

Emergency
911 or VHF 16

Police Marine Patrol
954-828-5440 (non-emergency)

USCG Station Fort Lauderdale
954-927-1611 or VHF 16

City Dockmaster
954-828-4626 or VHF 9

City of Fort Lauderdale Customer Service
954-828-8000

US Customs Reporting
1-800-432-1216

TowBoatUS
954-783-7821 or VHF 16

Sea Tow
954-525-0037 or VHF 16

ANCHORING RESTRICTIONS

In accordance with Florida House Bill 481, the City of Fort Lauderdale restricts anchoring as follows:

No overnight anchoring for more than thirty (30) days in any six (6) month period within the municipal limits of the City of Fort Lauderdale.

What This Means

Captains must arrange to move their vessel to a dock or mooring field within 30 days. This ordinance does not apply to vessels that are docked or using the City's public mooring field.

For questions, contact the Fort Lauderdale Police Department Marine Patrol at 954-828-5440 (non-emergency).

FREE PUBLIC PUMPOUT STATIONS

The City of Fort Lauderdale offers four free public pumpout stations.

Self-Service 24/7

Cox's Landing Boat Ramp
1784 SE 15th Street

Smoker Park
501 S. New River Drive

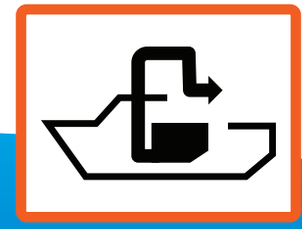
Assisted Service Only

8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
(7 days per week)

Marshall Point
410 SW 4th Avenue

Cooley's Landing Marina
450 SW 7th Avenue

For questions about these stations or for directions, contact the Dockmaster's Office at 954-828-4626 or VHF 9.



REMEMBER, USING PUMPOUTS IS THE LAW!