PORT OF NEWPORT

ORDINANCE NO. 1-83

AN ORDINANCE RESTRICTING PUBLIC ACCESS TO PORTIONS OF YAQUINA BAY NORTH JETTY.

WHEREAS, the Port of Newport has authority to enact ordinances concerning the regulation of facilities within the Port; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Port Commissioners finds that it is in the best interest of public safety that access to the North Jetty of Yaquina Bay be restricted,

NOW, THEREFORE, THE PORT OF NEWPORT ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1.

No person shall, without express authority of the United States Coast Guard or of the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, enter or be upon that structure, lying generally along the North side of the Yaquina River Channel at its point of entry into the Pacific Ocean, known as the "North Jetty", for the purpose of traveling to or being upon any part of said North Jetty lying westerly of the mean low tide line of the Pacific Ocean.

Section 2.

The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply after March 15, 1984.

Section 3.

The provisions of this ordinance shall be severable, and if any section, sentence or phrase of this ordinance shall, for any reason, be adjudged or declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, such judgment or decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

Section 4.

Any person or persons found in violation of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 5.

This ordinance being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, safety and welfare, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this 29th day of November, 1983, by the following vote:

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NAYES:

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ABSENT:

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President

ATTEST:

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