

**CITY OF BELFAST, MAINE**  
**2026 SCHEDULE OF HARBOR USAGE FEES**  
**Chapter 30 Marine Activities Appendix E.**

1) **ANNUAL MOORING/MOORED FLOAT PERMIT:**

- \$ **110.00** for individual mooring/moored float permit plus **\$2** per foot for vessels over 25'
- \$ **170.00** for permitted Army Corps of Engineers service/rental moorings
- \$ **190.00** for permitted Army Corps of Engineers service/rental moored floats
- **Late Fee:** Late mooring/moored float permit fee (May 1 to May 31): **\$65.00** For all mooring owners with the exception of new mooring applicants.
- **Wait List:** A fee of **\$30.00** per year shall be charged for the privilege of being on the Wait List established for all mooring and moored float sites as described in Section 30-156-c. This fee shall be paid by the due date established for the Mooring Permit Fee.

2) **MOORING RENTALS:** Overnight tie-up to City owned moorings: **\$50.00 + \$1.00/ft** over 40'/24 hours (12:00pm to 12:00pm), maximum stay of 7 nights only with consent of Harbor Master. Fee includes showers.

3) **DOCKAGE**

- **Overnight tie-up to City Floats and Wharf:** **\$4.00/boat foot** up to 39'; **\$4.50/boat foot** 40' up to 59'; **\$5.25/boat foot** 60' up to 89'; 90' and over **\$5.50/boat foot**, excluding vessels with a City of Belfast Commercial contract. Vessels taking two slips such as multi-hulls shall pay double. **\$30.00** minimum, 24 hours (12:00pm to 12:00pm), maximum stay of 7 nights per season. Additional nights only with consent of Harbor Master. Fee includes showers.
- **Daytime tie-up to City Floats and Wharf:** After 1 hour **\$1.00/ft/hour** as available. **Up to 25' \$100/season pass** as available. Showers not included. After 8 hours, overnight tie-up fee is in effect.
- **Cancellations:** A minimum charge of one night shall be imposed for any reservation not cancelled within 24 hours for vessels 50' and over
- **Charter Vessels:** Concessions Contract - **\$70/ft/season May 15 – October 15** Occasional Use Contract - **\$550/season**
- **Commercial Contract: \$600.00/season**

4) **SHORE POWER:**

- **Overnight:** **\$20.00** for 15 amps/ **\$25.00** for 30 amps/ **\$35.00** for 50 amps per night
- **Daytime:** Fee shall be determined by Harbor Master at that time. Minimum \$5.00 for 15 amp

5) **LAUNCHING FEES:**

- **Commercial:** Launching ramp fees for commercial users: **\$50.00** in and/or out. Commercial User annual permits: **\$200.00** up to 50 launches and/or retrieves, **\$360.00** up to 100 launches and/or retrieves, **\$745.00** unlimited launches and /or retrieves. Fees may be waived by the Harbor Master in an emergency. Commercial user examples are, but not limited to: boat builder, boatyard and paid hauler. Requests for additional services will be charged accordingly.
- **Private:** Any person who does not pay boat excise tax or registration fees to the City of Belfast will pay a **\$15.00** launching fee per launch in and out or **\$40.00** for a season pass. Any person who pays boat excise tax or registration fees to the City of Belfast will not be charged for launching. A Belfast Resident or Season Pass sticker will be issued and must be displayed on the starboard bow of that vessel for which excise tax and registration fees are paid.

6) **TENDER FEES:**

- **Tie-up:** Any mooring permit holder who is a resident of Belfast (180 day occupancy) or pays property taxes to the City of Belfast shall be charged **\$40.00** for keeping a tender on designated City of Belfast property. Any mooring permit holder who is not a Belfast resident or does not pay property taxes to the City of Belfast shall pay per season, a fee of **\$180.00** to keep one tender up land or **\$330.00** to keep one tender on the docks on designated City of Belfast property. Tenders left on City of Belfast Property between October 16 and May 15 will pay **\$275.00** Maximum length of 12' under the discretion of the Harbor Master. All tenders will be issued a sticker which shall be placed on the inside of the transom.
- **Removal:** After the posted time of the docks being hauled, any tender left on City of Belfast property without permission of the Harbor Master shall be removed by the City at a cost of **\$100.00** to the owner.

7) **PUMP-OUT SYSTEM:** To pump holding tanks only: A fee of **\$5.00** per use shall be charged for recreational vessels. A "reasonable" fee shall be charged for commercial vessels. (as per the Maine Dept. of Environmental Protection).

8) **PUBLIC SHOWERS:** A fee of **\$5.00** shall be charged per person/per use of the public showers if the user is not paying fees to the City for dockage or mooring rent.

9) **ORDINANCE:** A copy of the Belfast Harbor Ordinance shall be available for a fee determined by City Clerk's office.

10) **TRASH:** A fee of **\$5.00** per bag shall be charged for disposal of trash.

11) **WASH DOWN FEE:** Any individual wishing to use Belfast facilities to wash down their vessel shall be charged a minimum of **\$30.00** if they are not paying mooring or dock rent to the City of Belfast.

12) **FISHERMAN HOIST:** A user fee of **\$75.00/light use** or **\$225.00 heavy use** per individual approved by the Harbor Master shall be charged for a key to operate the fisherman's hoist

13) **FISHERMAN FACILITY USE FEE:** Non-Belfast resident commercial fishermen 18 and older will be charged **\$250.00** annually for use of the docks and ramp (gangway). Fee to be collected along with other annual (mooring) permit fees.

14) **THOMPSON'S WHARF:** Summer slip rental fees May 15<sup>th</sup> – October 15<sup>th</sup>: **\$110.00/ft/season**  
Winter Slip rental fees October 16 – May 14<sup>th</sup>: **\$7.50ft./month**

15) **SMALL VESSEL STORAGE RACKS:** Non – mooring owners approved by the Harbor Master to store small vessels on City of Belfast racks until December 1<sup>st</sup> of said season, shall be charged as follows: **\$65.00** Belfast residents, **\$105.00** non-Belfast Residents

16) **SMALL VESSEL STORAGE PARKING LOT:** Small vessels approved by Harbor Master to be stored in Puddle Dock Parking Lot:  
Per 8' x 8' square: **Belfast Residents: \$35.00, Non-Belfast Residents \$50.00**