



### NOTICE OF INTENT TO OBTAIN CUSTODY

VESSEL W/B with Registration # W/B  
Description/location Yellow, submerged Sailboat  
The Port of Ridgefield (Port) has declared the vessel W/B as derelict or abandoned. (Custody Date) After taking custody, the Port may use or dispose of it without further notice. The owner is responsible for all related costs.

The Port intends to take custody of the vessel on 6/19/24.  
In order to keep the vessel, the owner must take one of the following actions before the Custody Date:  
• Get authorization to moor or anchor the vessel in its current location, or  
• Move it to an anchorage area, moorage facility that authorizes the vessel, or  
• Remove the vessel from the water.

If the owner wants to reclaim the vessel after the Port has custody, or wants to challenge the Port's decision to take custody, the owner must file a written appeal with the Pollution Control Hearings Board (PCHB) and serve a copy on the Port. Addresses are in the boxes below:

Pollution Control Hearings Board (send one original and one copy)  
Physical address: 1115 Sunset Road, Toke, WA 98501  
Mailing address: PO Box 40903, Olympia, WA 98504-0903  
Phone: 360-684-9180

Port of Ridgefield  
Physical address: 101 MB St, Ridgefield WA 98642  
Mailing address: PO Box 55, Ridgefield WA 98642  
Phone: 360-887-3873

The appeal must include the following information:  
• A copy of this notice or a copy of the notification letter to the owner.  
• Your name and address (including and legal, if different) and, if applicable, the name and address of your representative.  
• A detailed phone number.  
• A brief statement why you are appealing.  
• A statement of what you want the PCHB to do in the number shown with appeal number. (Appeal #)  
• Your signature or that of your representative. The PCHB must receive it no later than 6/19/24.  
See <https://www.portofridgefield.com/pchb> for more information. The PCHB may receive an appeal for a vessel that is not on this list. The owner waives the right to a hearing if the PCHB does not receive an appeal by the Custody Date. There must be sufficient property or liability covered by the Port's General and Special Claims and Public Assistance and Environmental Response Fund. The owner is liable for any costs incurred by the Port in taking and disposing of the vessel and any related costs. The owner may appeal the Port's decision to take custody of the vessel. For example, the Port may take custody of a vessel if the owner does not pay the dues or if the vessel is abandoned. The owner is liable for any costs incurred by the Port in taking and disposing of the vessel and any related costs. The owner may appeal the Port's decision to take custody of the vessel. For example, the Port may take custody of a vessel if the owner does not pay the dues or if the vessel is abandoned. The owner is liable for any costs incurred by the Port in taking and disposing of the vessel and any related costs.