



August 17, 2009

Ms. Bonnie Neely, Chair
California Coastal Commission
825 Fifth Street, Room 111
Eureka, CA 95501

Subject: City of Dana Point Land Use Plan Amendment DPT-MAJ-1-08

Dear Ms. Neely:

The Dana Point Boaters Association (DPBA) hereby formally extends an invitation to the Commissioners and Staff to visit Dana Point Harbor, prior to the October Coastal Commission Hearing, to tour the subject area to be considered first hand. DPBA is a non-profit boater advocacy organization interested in promoting a Harbor Revitalization Plan that takes into account the spirit and specific governance within the Coastal Act, in both the land and waterside planning that will be considered by the Commission. We have been working closely with the various stakeholders, including OC Dana Point Harbor Department, to represent boater interests in the Plan, and would like to also provide an update on where we stand on the important issues.

Please let us know if a Harbor tour and meeting can be scheduled between now and October's Hearing, as this was mentioned during the June hearings. If such a meeting is to be arranged with the City/County, we would like to coordinate schedules accordingly to assure the very best use of your time.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "R. Ryan", written over a light blue horizontal line.

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