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North East Community Marina Authority to Assume Operations at North East Marina

North East, PA – June 25, 2024 - The North East Community Marina Authority (NECMA) is pleased to announce a significant development in its mission to enhance recreational boating and tourism in the region. NECMA has signed an agreement with the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission (PFBC) to assume operations at the North East Marina.

Under the agreement, NECMA will oversee day-to-day operations, maintenance, and improvements at the North East Marina, while collaborating closely with PFBC to uphold high standards of environmental stewardship and public service.

"We are excited about the opportunity to assume operations of the North East Marina in partnership with the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission," said Amy Burniston, Vice Chairman of NECMA. "This agreement reflects our commitment to preserving and enhancing the marina as a premier destination for boaters and visitors. We aim to grow the marina into a waterfront hub that serves our community through recreation, entertainment, education, and environmental stewardship."

Located on the picturesque shores of Lake Erie, the North East Marina holds potential in becoming a premier destination for boaters and recreation seekers. By assuming operational responsibilities, NECMA intends to realize the marina's full potential by implementing strategic upgrades, enhancing visitor amenities, and promoting educational initiatives related to great lakes conservation, sustainability, and safety.

Spearheaded by Representative Jake Banta and a group of North East community members, efforts to preserve the North East Marina began last year. In a statement, Rep Banta recognizes the work put in by NECMA, PFBC, and members of the community led initiative to get to this point. Rep Banta states, "This is wonderful news regarding the great community asset of the North East Marina and I'm excited to see the marina's potential fully realized. Keep moving forward!"

The transition of operations at the North East Marina will occur over the next several weeks, with both NECMA and PFBC committed to serving the community. Those interested in purchasing a boating slip for the 2024 year can email board@nemarina.org.

For more information about the North East Community Marina Authority and its initiatives, please visit www.nemarina.org

About North East Community Marina Authority: The North East Community Marina Authority is committed to being a premier recreational destination and maritime center of excellence for those looking to enjoy all that Lake Erie offers. NECMA aims to provide exceptional experiences for visitors and residents alike while promoting safety, environmental stewardship, and innovation in all maritime endeavors.

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