



# City of Umatilla

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CERTIFIED MAIL

October 10, 2022

Joseph & Christina Chacon  
73404 East Grand Bluff Loop  
Kennewick, WA 99338

Re: NOTICE OF SEIZURE OF VESSEL OR 071 AFK

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Chacon:

A Carver sailing vessel, 32 Ft in length, with registration number OR 071 AFK was seized by the City of Umatilla at 9:00a.m., Monday, October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022 for being an abandoned vessel. At the time of seizure, the vessel contained the following property: miscellaneous ropes, cords, and radio. The Enforcement Agency served preseizure notice to you, the owner, on September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022. The deadline to prevent the seizure by either remedying the problem or requesting a hearing was 5:00p. October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

Oregon State Marine Board records indicate you are the owner of this vessel. As the owner, you are liable for all costs arising from salvage, towing, and storage. You may immediately reclaim your vessel by presenting proof of ownership and paying the salvage, towing, and storage costs that have accrued so far, which are currently estimated to be approximately \$155,272.14

To prevent the sale or disposal of the seized vessel and property, you must reclaim the vessel and pay all accrued costs prior to:

**5:00p.m. November 10, 2022**

If you fail to reclaim the vessel prior to the date specified in this notice, the title to the vessel and all property within the vessel will vest with the City of Umatilla. The vessel will be destroyed or sold, and you will remain liable for unpaid costs. The total cost of salvage, towing, storage, and disposal is

estimated to be approximately \$160,772.14, but the final cost could be higher or lower than this estimate.

You have the right to request a hearing to challenge the seizure of the vessel and the reasonableness of costs associated with salvage, towing, and storage. Your request must be submitted in writing to the City of Umatilla not more than 10 days after the date of this notice. The deadline to request a hearing is:

**5:00p, October 20, 2022**

If you have questions, please contact Chris Waite, Parks and Recreation Director, at 541-922-3226 or [chrisw@umatilla-city.org](mailto:chrisw@umatilla-city.org)

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Chris Waite", is placed on a light gray rectangular background.

Chris Waite

Parks and Recreation Director

CC: ADV Program Coordinator, Oregon State Marine Board