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Harbour Dues and Fee Schedule

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GODERICH PORT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION (GPMC)

HARBOUR DUES

Interpretation

1 In this Notice,

“harbour dues” means a toll on a vessel that comes into or uses the Port of Goderich;

“owner” includes the agent, charterer by demise or master of a vessel;

“tonnage measurement certificate” means a certificate issued by a measurement authority recognized by Transport Canada that sets out the registered gross tonnage of a vessel.

Application

2 This Notice applies in respect of vessels that come into or use a facility in the Port of Goderich that is under administration, management and control of GPMC.

Subject to Section 6, this Notice is binding on all vessels, including vessels owned by Her Majesty in right of any Province or by the government of any foreign country.

Charges

3 Harbour dues shall be calculated as set out in Schedule “A”.

The harbour dues prescribed by this Notice are due on demand and shall be paid to GPMC pursuant to the terms and conditions of the invoice.

The harbour dues prescribed in any other Notice are in addition to any other charges prescribed in any other Notice or that may be owing to GPMC.

Measurement of Vessels

4 Where two registered gross tonnages are recorded on a tonnage measurement certificate, the greater of those tonnages shall apply for the purpose of this Notice.

Where the owner of a vessel is not able to produce a tonnage measurement certificate, GPMC or its representative may estimate the gross tonnage of that vessel and the gross tonnage so estimated shall be the registered gross tonnage for the purpose of this Notice.

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HARBOUR DUES (continued)

Exemptions

- 5 Harbour dues not payable in respect of
- (a) a Canadian warship, naval auxiliary ship or other ship under the command of the Canadian Forces, a ship of a visiting force within the meaning of the Visiting Forces Act or any other ship which it is under the command of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police;
 - (b) a vessel belonging to the government of a foreign country and not ordinary engaged in commercial operations;
 - (c) a vessel belonging to Her Majesty in right of a province and not ordinarily engaged in commercial operations.
 - (d) a vessel engaged solely in fishing, other than a trawler or steamship that trades in fish;
 - (e) a vessel that is a pleasure craft not engaged in commercial operations;
 - (f) a vessel entering the port for the purpose of refuge in case of storm or accident;
 - (g) a vessel exempted from the payment of such dues by a treaty between Canada and any foreign country.
 - (h) a Commercial Cruise ship.

Schedule "A"

Goderich Port Management Corporation

HARBOUR DUES Schedule of Rates

Effective January 1, 2026

ITEM	BASIS	UNIT	2026 RATE
1	The charge for a vessel entering the port is (A) in the case of a vessel registered in Canada or vessel operating under a Coasting Trade License pursuant to the Coasting Trade Act that is, at the time it comes into a port, used in the carriage of goods or passengers from a place in Canada to another place in Canada, payable in any month for each of the first five entries of the vessel into the port per gross registered ton	GRT	0.0241
	(B) in the case of a vessel other than a vessel referred to in paragraph (a), payable in any month for each of the first five entries of the vessel into the port, per gross registered ton	GRT	0.0485
2	The charge for a self-propelled vessel that ordinarily operates only within the limits of the port and that engages in commercial activity therein is, where the vessel is;		
	a) less than 100 gross register ton, payable one in each calendar year.	GRT	69.9757
	b) equal to or greater than 100 gross registered ton, but less than 200 gross registered ton, payable once in each calendar year.	GRT	120.7104
	c) equal to or greater than 200 gross registered ton, payable once in each calendar year	GRT	283.9621

GODERICH PORT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION (GPMC)

WHARFAGE AND TRANSFER CHARGES

Interpretation

1 In this Notice,

“port facility” means a wharf, pier, breakwater, terminal, warehouse or other building or work located in, on or adjacent to navigable waters located in the area shown in schedule F and used in connection with navigation or shipping and included all land incidental to its use;

“transfer charge” means a charge in respect of goods transferred from one vessel to another vessel within the limit of the port;

“wharf” means any wharf that is operated by GPMC;

“wharfage” means a charge imposed in accordance with this Notice in respect of all goods and goods in containers that are

- (i) loaded or unloaded from a vessel at a port facility;
- (ii) unloaded overside from vessel to water or loaded from water to vessel, landed from or placed in the water or loaded on or unloaded from a vehicle within the limits of the port.

Application

2 This Notice applies in respect of all vessels and goods carried on those vessels, including vessels owned by Her Majesty in right of any Province or by the government of any foreign country, that utilize a port facility under administration, management and control of GPMC.

Charges Generally

3 The charges prescribed by this Notice are due on demand and shall be paid to GPMC or its representative pursuant to the terms and conditions of the invoice.

3.1 The charges prescribed by this Notice are in addition to any other charges prescribed in any other Notice or that may be owing to GPMC.

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WHARFAGE AND TRANSFER CHARGES (continued)

Documentation

- 4 Complete documentation, including bills of lading, in respect of inward and outward cargo and/or goods in container(s) of a vessel shall be provided by the person in charge of the vessel to GPMC or its representative.
- 4.1 GPMC or its representative reserves the right to classify any goods and its decision in this regard shall be final and binding.

Wharfage Charges

- 5 Subject to Section 6.1, wharfage payable shall be calculated on the basis set out in Schedule "B" in an amount determined by multiplying the number of units of an item described in Column I, using the relevant unit basis set out in Column II, by the relevant rate set out in Column III.

Wharfage is not payable in respect of

- (a) a Canadian warship, navel auxiliary ship or other ship under the command of the
the
Canadian Forces, a ship of a visiting force within the meaning of the Visiting Forces Act or any other ship which it is under the command of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police;
- (b) a catch of fish unloaded from or supplies loaded to a fishing vessel berthed at a port facility;
- (c) goods carried on any vessel that is exempt from the payment of wharfage by terms of any agreement between Canada and any foreign county.

Transfer Charges

- 6 Subject to Section 7.1, transfer charges payable shall be calculated at one quarter the rate set out in Schedule "B" and shall be calculated in the manner described in Section 6.
- 6.1 Transfer Charges are not payable in respect of
- (a) a Canadian warship, navel auxiliary ship or other ship under the command of the
Canadian Forces, a ship of a visiting force within the meaning of the Visiting Forces Act or any other ship which it is under the command of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police;

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- (b) a vessel belonging to the government of a foreign country and not ordinarily engaged in commercial operations;
- (c) a vessel belonging to Her Majesty in right of a province and not ordinarily engaged in commercial operations.
- (d) a vessel engaged solely in fishing, other than a trawler or steamship that trades in fish;
- (e) a vessel that is a pleasure craft not engaged in commercial operations;
- (f) a vessel entering a the port for the purpose of refuge in case of storm or accident;
- (g) a vessel exempted from the payment of such dues by a treaty between Canada and any foreign country;
- (h) a vessel of three metres or less in length exclusively engaged in control and movement of logs;
- (i) where one of the vessels engaged in the transfer of goods within the port is, during the transfer of goods, berthed at a private port facility; or
- (j) where, within the port Wharfage pursuant to this Notice is paid or payable on the same goods transferred between vessels.

Schedule "B"

Goderich Port Management Corporation

WHARFAGE and TRANSFER CHARGES

Schedule of Rates

Effective January 1, 2026

ITEM	BASIS	UNIT	2026 RATE
1	All goods not otherwise specified		
	(a) with a cubic content less than 1 m ³ per tonne	tonne	3.66
	(b) with a cubic content equal to or greater than 1 m ³		
	per tonne	cubic metre	2.89
2	Boats		
	(a) not over 6 metres in length	each	4.863
	(b) over 6 metres but not over 10 metres in length	each	11.586
	(c) over 10 metres in length	each	23.171
3	Cement		
	(a) in bulk	tonne	0.743
	(b) in containers	tonne	1.002
4	Coal	tonne	0.534
5	Explosives	tonne	6.389
6	Fertilizer	tonne	0.743
7	Fish		
	(a) whole	tonne	0.335
	(b) cured	tonne	0.397
	(c) processed	tonne	0.471
8	Grain, grain products, hay	tonne	0.554

ITEM	BASIS	UNIT	2026 FEE
9	Lumber and timber, except plywood	cubic metre	0.418
10	Metals, in ingots, pigs, blooms, bales, etc	tonne	1.527
11	Motorcycles, snowmobiles, all-terrain vehicles	each	1.171
12	Gasoline, petroleum products and other liquid commodities		
	(a) gasoline		
	(i) in bulk	kilolitre	0.627
	(ii) not in bulk	205 l drum	0.188
	(b) other petroleum products		
	(i) in bulk	kilolitre	0.857
	(ii) not in bulk	205 l drum	0.365
	(c) all other liquid commodities		
	(i) in bulk	kilolitre	1.359
	(ii) not in bulk	205 l drum	0.763
13	Ores, alum, barytes, sulphur, soda ash, calcium chloride	tonne	0.763
14	Ore concentrates	tonne	1.474
15	Plywood	Cubic metre	0.617

ITEM	BASIS	UNIT	FEES
16	Pulpwood, firewood, in stacked cords		0.544
17	Salt (<i>where not covered by another agreement</i>)	tonne	
	(a) for fish curing		0.324
	(b) for other purposes		0.679
18	Sand, stone, gravel	tonne	0.501
19	Scrap metals	tonne	1.673
20	Wood Pulp	tonne	1.066
21	Minimum charge	per shipment or agreement	0.742
22	Containers, 6 m in length and over, loaded, in addition to wharfage charges on their contents	each	25.211
23	Secondary fiber, wastepaper	tonne	1.066
24	Woodchips, sawdust	tonne (dry)	0.763
25	Water, in bulk	kilolitre	0.701
26	Wood Pellets	tonne	0.554

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STORAGE CHARGES

Interpretation

1 In this Notice

"day" means a period of twenty-four consecutive hours;

"port facility" means a wharf, pier, breakwater, terminal, warehouse or other building or work located in, on or adjacent to navigable waters used in connection with navigation or shipping and includes all land incidental to its use;

"storage" means charge payable on goods that remain at a port facility or in a building at such a facility.

Application

2 Storage charges calculated in accordance with this Notice are payable in respect of goods that remain at a facility under administration, management and control of GPMC or in a building at such a facility.

2.1 Subject to Section 6, this Notice applies in respect of the goods carried on all vessels, including vessels owned by Her Majesty in right of any Province or by the government of any foreign county.

Charges

3 Storage charges shall be calculated on the basis set out in Schedule "C" in an amount determined by multiplying the unit basis set out in Column II of an item described in Column I by the relevant rate set out in Column III of that item.

3.1 The storage charges prescribed by this Notice are due on demand and shall be paid to GPMC or its representative pursuant to the terms and conditions of the invoice.

3.2 The storage charges prescribed by this Notice are in addition to any other charges prescribed in any other Notice or that may be owing to GPMC.

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STORAGE CHARGES (continued)

Measurement of Goods

- 4 GPMC and/or its representative reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to estimate the quantity of goods to be stored and the total volume so estimated shall be used for the purpose of this Notice.

Exemptions

- 5 Storage charges are not payable in respect of
- (a) a Canadian warship, naval auxiliary ship or other ship under the command of the Canadian Forces, a ship of a visiting force within the meaning of Visiting Forces Act or any other ship which it is under the command of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police;
 - (b) goods brought in by a vessel that is exempted from the payment of such charges by the terms of any agreement between Canada and any foreign county;
 - (c) The first five consecutive days that goods intended for outward shipment remain on the wharf, except where arrangements have been made in advance to reserve storage space on the wharf for those goods.

Schedule "C"

Goderich Port Management Corporation

PORT FACILITIES STORAGE CHARGES Schedule of Rates

Effective January 1, 2026

ITEM	BASIS	UNIT	2026 FEES
1	Storage for goods in sheds other than frost-proof sheds per day.	square metre	0.219
2	Storage of goods on wharf, per day or part thereof.	square metre	0.115
3	Storage for goods elsewhere at a port facility, per day or part thereof.	square metre	0.073

GODERICH PORT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION (GPMC)

BERTHAGE CHARGES

Interpretation

1 In this Notice,

“berth” means a location at the port facility where a vessel may be moored;

“berthage charge” means a charge in respect of a vessel that occupies a berth or is fast to or tied up alongside any other vessel occupying a berth;

“day” means a period of twenty-four consecutive hours;

“float” means a floating structure designed for the mooring or berthing of vessels and includes a floating wharf;

“owner” includes the agent, charterer by demise or master of a vessel;

“port facility” means a wharf, pier, breakwater, terminal, warehouse or other building or work located in, on or adjacent to navigable waters used in connection with navigation or shipping and includes all land incidental to their use.

Application

2 This Notice applies in respect of vessels that come into or use a port facility under administration, management and control of GPMC.

2.1 Subject to Section 6, this Notice is binding on all vessels, including vessels owned by Her Majesty in right of any Province or by the government of any foreign country.

Charges

3 Berthage charges shall be calculated on the basis set out in Schedule “D” in an amount determined by multiplying the unit basis set out in Column II of an item described in Column I by the relevant rate set out in Column III of that item.

3.1 Subject to Section 4.2, a berthage charge is payable in respect of a vessel only for the first time that vessel used a given wharf in any one day.

3.2 A berthage charge in respect of a vessel engaged in the coasting trade of Canada is made is payable each time the vessel used a wharf.

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BERTHAGE CHARGES (continued)

- 3.3 The berthage charges prescribed by this Notice are due on demand and shall be paid to GPMC pursuant to the terms and conditions of the invoice.
- 3.4 The berthage charges prescribed by this Notice are in addition to any other charges prescribed in any other Notice or that may be owing to GPMC.

Measurement of Vessels

- 5 Berthage charges are not payable in respect of any vessel this is
- (a) a Canadian warship, naval auxiliary ship or other ship under the command of the Canadian Forces, a ship of a visiting force within the meaning of Visiting Forces Act or any other ship which it is under the command of the Royal Canadian Mounted
 - (b) not ordinarily engaged in trade and that is owned by Her Majesty in right of a province or by the government of a foreign country;
 - (c) Exempt from the payment of berthage charges by the terms of any agreement between Canada and any foreign country;
 - (d) A fishing vessel berthed at a port facility solely for the purpose of loading supplies, including fish bait, or unloading the vessel's catch of fish.
 - (e) a Commercial Cruise ship.

Schedule "D"

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BERTH CHARGES Schedule of Rates

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ITEM	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	2026 FEES
1	Berthage charge on a vessel not engaged in loading, unloading, or any other commercial activity that is moored per day or part thereof.	metre of length	0.559
2	Berthage charge on a vessel that is loading or or unloading or engaged in any other commercial activity elsewhere than at a float	metre of length	0.128
	(a) per hour or part thereof	metre of length	0.128
	(b) maximum per day	metre of length	1.341
3	Minimum berthage charges for a vessel described in any of items 1 or 2	per vessel	17.57
4	Berthage charge on a licensed Canadian Fishing Vessel		
	(a) per week or part thereof		53.173
	(b) maximum per month		186.12
	(c) negotiated annual flat rate		TBD

UTILITIES AND OTHER SERVICES

Interpretation

1 In this Notice,

“port facility” means a wharf, pier, breakwater, terminal, warehouse or other building or work located in, on or adjacent to navigable waters used in connection with navigation or shipping and includes all land incidental to its use.

Application

2 This Notice applies in respect of vessels that come into or use a port facility under the administration, management and control of GPMC.

2.1 Subject to Section 5, this Notice is binding on all vessels, including vessels owned by Her Majesty in right of Province or by the government of any foreign country.

Charges

3 Charges prescribed by this Notice shall be calculated as set out in Schedule “E”.

3.1 Charges prescribed by this Notice are due on demand and shall be paid to GPMC or its representative pursuant to the terms and conditions of the invoice.

3.2 Charges prescribed by this Notice are in addition to any other charges prescribed in any other Notice or that may be owing to GPMC.

Schedule "E"

Goderich Port Management Corporation

PORT UTILITIES AND OTHER SERVICES Schedule of Rates

Effective January 1, 2026

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	2026 FEES
1	Electricity, water, snow removal, wharf cleaning, security services, and other negotiated third party services	Cost plus 25%