

MARINE SAFETY POLICY STATEMENT

Eyemouth Harbour Trust (EHT) aims to maintain a strong, proactive culture of marine safety in order to comply fully with the requirements of the [Port and Marine Facilities Safety Code](#) (PMSC) (April 2025) and its associated [A Guide to Good Practice on Port and Marine Facilities](#), (GGP) i.e. to exercise and promote the safe and efficient conduct of marine operations within Eyemouth Statutory Harbour Limits, in accordance with the PMSC and the GGP (2025). The available marine services will meet the agreed requirements of customers and stakeholders in a competent, safe, and productive manner, whilst conforming to regulatory and statutory requirements.

To achieve this EHT has established a Marine Safety Management System; whereby key activities and processes have been identified and documented.

To comply with the standards as laid down in the PMSC, EHT undertakes to:

- Regulate and manage marine operations to ensure the safety of navigation for all port users.
- Create and implement safe operational harbour policy statements.
- Produce formal risk assessments for all marine activities to ensure that risks are as low as reasonably practicable.
- Facilitate other Harbour use whilst complying with risk assessments and navigational safety.
- Maintain conservancy functions in respect of hydrographic surveys, dredging and the provision of aids to navigation as necessary.
- Ensure that its Harbour directions define the circumstances in which vessels operate and how and to which vessels they apply and in what circumstances.
- Provide relevant navigational and tidal information to all port users.
- Maintain the Port Emergency Response Plan.
- Maintain the Port's Oil Spill Contingency Plan.
- Maintain the Port Waste Management Plan.
- Maintain compliance with the [International Ship & Port Facility Code \(ISPS\)](#) as applicable.
- Ensure that all personnel are committed to comply with the documented procedures.

Signed



Euan Scott - Chair Eyemouth Harbour Trust

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