To: All SCYC Members and Staff

Ref: Initiation of **Phase 1** of **SCYC Storm Plan**

Date:

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**PHASE-1 - HEIGHTENED STATE OF READINESS - JUNE 1- Nov 31**

SCYC Staff and the Storm Response Team(SRT) have been working to prepare the Club as per [SCYC Storm Plan](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Hxq3DGax1fh8voc2Ihand_4JWv_N_qbPm8IqIvvSFko/edit?usp=sharing) **Phase-1,** which stays in effect for the entire Hurricane Season (June 1 - Nov 31).

Reminder to all members with a vessel on the SCYC dock, it may become necessary to have all vessels off the dock to protect vessels and the dock, also SRT may need to disassemble the dock for damage mitigation.

**Note:** As per dockage agreement. Owners assume all risk of damage by the owner's vessel to the equipment, docks or property of SCYC.

All vessel owners should have a solid **Vessel Storm Plan** in place and have an **alternate designated named person** to beresponsible for your vessel if you are unavailable, the alternate person needs to be prepared and capable of executing the **Vessel Storm Plan**.

* **Hauling Vessel:**
  + If hauling at SCYC ensure you have arranged for help and have inspected the trailer/truck and equipment in advance.
  + If intending to haul at [St. Croix Marine](https://stcroixmarinecenter.com/), they require advance arrangements.
  + [GreenCay Marina](http://www.tamarindreefresort.com/marina-en.html) offers storm season dockage, must be arranged in advance.
  + Heavy storm moorings can be a reasonable option depending on vessel, location and ground tackle.
* **Dry Store Vessel at SCYC:**
  + Remove valuables and tie/strap down the vessel securely.
  + For light weight trailered vessels, consider partially deflating tires and filling the vessel about one-third full of water to help hold it down.
* **Additional Useful Links:** [**Storm Planning and Info Page**](https://www.stcroixyc.com/Storm-Planning-&-Information-Page)

Volunteers for Storm Preparations are always needed and welcomed. Please email or call the office if you are willing and able.