

Hurricane Season (June - November) the Management of the Cayman Islands' Yacht Club ("CIYC") Will take the following action in the event of a hurricane threat to the Cayman Islands.

The CIYC Marina will maintain and make available copies of the policy in the Marina Manager's office and Anchors store, also by email request.

The Management team for CIYC consists of:

Simon Watson-Operations Manager	Tel: 324 1465
Graham Peck - Marina Manager	Tel: 326 4985
Nicolas Mc Elroy Dock Master	Tel: 526 2261
Police/ Fire/ Ambulance	Tel: 911
Red Cross	Tel: 949 6785
Command Post	Tel: 640 4357

The Objective of this Hurricane Policy is to outline the priorities for the Marina in the event of a Hurricane threat that could impact the facility

1. Protect Human Life.
2. Seek to prevent or minimize personal injury.
3. Reduce the exposure of property damage.
4. Minimize damage to property that cannot be relocated.
5. Seek to restore normal operations as quickly as possible.

The CIYC assumes **NO** responsibility to prepare vessels for a Storm or Hurricane. This is the sole responsibility of the vessel owners and occupiers who may make these preparations personally or arrange to have work done for them.

It is also the responsibility of Boat Owners/Captains/Charter Companies/ Management Companies to ensure they hold the appropriate insurance for severe weather events. It is the sole responsibility of the vessels owners to ensure that their insurance policies include the cost of salvage and wreck removal costs to cover Grand Cayman during the hurricane season.



Preparations should be as follows:

Remove all sails.

Remove all canvas e.g., covers, dodgers, sail covers, biminis.

Lower and secure booms to protect against damaging the dock.

Ensure suitable numbers and types of lines and fenders are in use. Drop the anchor where applicable.

Vessels must be left in a condition to be able to be moved under its own propulsion.

Ensure hatches are secure and all loose items removed and stored below or removed from the docks and taken away. Dinghies to be deflated and either strapped inverted to the dock or if room on the deck.

Marina Preparations.

The Marina staff will carry out the following actions in the buildings it occupies.

Secure and shutter all windows,

On departure ensure all doors are locked.

Docks.

The docks will be checked, and all loose items will be removed, such as bins, steps etc. not secured by the boat owner.

Utilities.

Supplies will remain on in accordance with the Utility companies' policy. Be prepared for these to be disrupted or turned off by the companies themselves.

ALL VESSELS MUST BE REMOVED FROM ALL CIYC SLIPS AT LEAST 72 HOURS PRIOR TO A NAMED HURRICANE MAKING LANDFALL ON GRAND CAYMAN OR WHEN THE CIYC ACTIVATES THE EVACUATION POLICY.

Tenants will be notified using the telephone numbers and or email address provided on their Slip Agreement. A notice will also be placed on the Marina Manager's Notice Board and by social media.

Vessels that remain in the Marina or on CIYC property within 72 hours of the named **HURRICANE** that is projected to make landfall on **Grand Cayman**, will be removed at the owner's expense and the owner releases the CIYC from any liability for any actions taken to remove any vessel within the 72-hour window.



NO ONE is to remain on their vessel during a hurricane.

The local Authorities is likely to insist that the Marina is evacuated. All Persons are to comply with instructions given by the Authorities. This includes when it will be safe to return

After the event, where possible the CIYC will inform persons when it is safe to return. We will open the Marina and office as soon as it is possible.