

*Port of Brownsville*  
*Newsletter November 2017*



1. **Here is a list of construction projects we have coming up for November:**

- A. Finish the bull rail on I-dock.
- B. We are also going to replace the deck behind the Yacht club.
- C. One lane of the boat ramp will be closed for the demo of the derelict docks on the island.

2. With the most recent events, this is a sad reminder of checking your safety devises. CO2 Detectors and smoke detectors. No one wants to be reminded the wrong way, so please check your CO2 and Smoke detectors for your safety and the safety of your loved ones.

3. Haunted Harbor - Scare away Hunger

This was held on Friday, October 27, from 6:00 to 8:30, the Brownsville Yacht Club and the Port of Brownsville, invited children ages 12 and younger and their grown-ups to come trick or treat the decorated boats on the breakwater. It was a huge success. There was roughly 545 people come across the docks. There was a large showing for decorated boats. The Hearst club came down and made a great entrance to Haunted Harbor. I want to thank all the volunteers that were involved. Everyone was safe respectful and had a great time. Best of all Haunted Harbor had 4 full carts of food and some donations.

4. If you have problems with your dock pedestal, or anything else you see, please report it. The more eyes looking helps find things that may or may not have been over looked. If no one takes the time to talk to staff we will never know there might be a problem. If the Port is not aware of a problem we cannot fix it.

5. I am having some people say the newsletter needs to update or a format change. So I have started to make some changes. With that said if you have any ideas please come talk to me. As I stated earlier if no one makes the effort to talk to the staff we will never know there is a problem.

6. I know I sound like a broken record but we have to get personal items off the dock. In the rules and regulations there is no storage of any type on the main walkway or finger piers. So look around your boat and please remove anything stored on the docks. Please pick up around your Boat or Boathouse.

7. Commissioners' Meeting: The regularly scheduled meeting **has not changed and is November 8** and will be held at **6:00 P.M. New Business:** None; **Old Business:** Boathouse Compliance, Engineering study priority direction, Budget.