



Temporary Moorings – FAQ

What are temporary moorings?

Temporary moorings are permanent residents' moorings that are not being used by the person to which they are licensed. This can be for a number of reasons including, but not limited to, a temporary cessation of boating activities or a short term move away from the area.

Provided that the licensee informs FHC that the mooring will not be used for the forthcoming season and the licence fee portion of the mooring bill is paid, then the mooring remains in the permanent licensee's name.

The mooring is then available to be sublet as a temporary mooring for the season. On the conclusion of the season, the mooring reverts to the permanent licensee.

The allocation of a temporary mooring during one season is no guarantee of an allocation in the next and you must apply each year.

Who is eligible for a temporary mooring?

Anybody who is on the waiting list for a permanent mooring licence in Fowey Harbour is eligible for a temporary mooring allocation, provided that their boat is suitable in all respects for the mooring in question.

How to apply

A temporary mooring application form can be requested from the Harbour Office or downloaded from the website. The form is to be completed and returned to the Harbour Office by email, by post or in person. An invoice for the administration fee will be generated.

Once received, the boat owner's record is tagged as requiring a temporary mooring. These requests are reset at the end of the season which means that all temporary licensees need to re-apply on an annual basis.

What criteria is used when allocating temporary moorings?

As with permanent allocations, the mooring is assessed to determine what type and size of boat would be suitable. Once this is done, the list of temporary applicants is consulted and those applicants with suitable boats considered. If there is more than one suitable boat, then boats allocated a temporary mooring during the previous season are given priority.

What is the cost?

Temporary mooring licences cost the same as permanent mooring licenses. On top of this are harbour dues and rental charges. Therefore, the cost to a temporary applicant is the same as a permanent licensee.

Please note: Applications will not be accepted before the 1st November for the following season.