

# Harbor Improvement Benefits

## Recreational and Economic Benefits

### Value to Community of Public Launch Ramp

Department of Boating and Waterways  
Valuation Method for Grants:

- \* \$7.50 per Launch
- \* Three (3) persons per Launch
- \* Twenty-year longevity

Examples:

6,000 Launches per year yields  
\$1.4 M value

3,000 Launches per year yields  
\$.7 M Value

### Economic Impacts of Recreational Boating

Department of Boating and Waterways  
Facilities Needs Study:

Average Boater:

- \* \$150 per trip
- \* \$2000 per year maintenance

Impact on Domestic Gross Product:

- \* \$16.5 Billion
- \* 1.2 % of GDP

### Redondo Beach not Benefiting *California Facilities*

71%	Boaters Launch via Ramps
550	Launch Ramps
1650	Launching Lanes
0	King Harbor
220	Dry Storage Facilities
22,000	Dry Storage Spaces
0	King Harbor