



## VIRGIN ISLANDS PORT AUTHORITY MARINE TARIFF RATE INCREASE NOTICE

The Virgin Islands Port Authority (VIPA) would like to inform the public that its Board of Governors, on October 29, 2025, approved amendments and rate increases to the VIPA Marine Tariff. This tariff applies to all vessels and users of VIPA's port facilities in St. Croix, St. John, and St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands. The updated marine tariff is available for download on VIPA's official website at [www.viport.com](http://www.viport.com).

**Effective Monday, April 6, 2026**

### **NOEL E. BOYNES BARGE RAMP, RED HOOK - ST THOMAS**

Fees to use the Noel E. Boynes Barge Ramp in Red Hook will increase:

<b>Measurement</b>	<b>Current Rate</b>	<b>New Rate</b>
Car, small-medium SUVs & motorcycles	\$3	\$5
Pick-up trucks and vans, large SUVs & personal vans	\$4	\$5
Heavy trucks and equipment	\$20	\$30
Commercial vans, hearse, safari taxis, and other vehicles	\$6	\$10
Containers 20 feet and less	\$20	\$30
Containers over 20 feet (large trucks, trucks with chassis, fuel trucks)	\$30	\$40

### **URMAN V. FREDERICKS PARKING GARAGE, RED HOOK - ST. THOMAS**

Parking fees at the Red Hook parking garage will increase.

<b>Time</b>	<b>Current Rate</b>	<b>New Rate</b>
0-15 minutes	\$0	\$0
16 minutes - 1 hour	\$4	\$4
1-2 hours	\$6	\$6
2-3 hours	\$8	\$8
3-4 hours	\$12	\$12
4-5 hours	\$12	\$15
5-24 hours	\$15	\$20
Daily Rate	\$15	\$20
Lost Ticket	\$15	\$20
Monthly (Public)	\$175	\$250
Monthly (Tenant/Employee)	\$100	\$125
Daily (Tenant/Employee)	\$5	\$10

**PILOTAGE RATES** will increase as follows:

<b>Tariff Fee</b>	<b>Current Rate</b>	<b>New Rate</b>
<b>Charge per draft foot (minimum 15 feet)</b>	\$20	\$25
Plus per gross registered ton (minimum \$100)	\$0.01	---
• 0-19,999		\$200
• 20,000-59,999		\$400
• 60,000 and over		\$600
<b>Shifting within the harbor</b>	\$300	\$400
Plus per gross registered ton (minimum \$100)	\$0.01	---
<b>Harbor use fee per entry</b>	\$100	\$150
<b>Waiting time due to the unreadiness of the vessel after the VIPA pilot reports</b>	\$150	\$200

**CARGO OVERFLOW STAGING FEE** is a new fee that will be implemented:

<b>Description</b>	<b>Port</b>	<b>Fee</b>	<b>Fee Assessment</b>
<b>Vehicles under 4,000 lbs.</b>	STT and STX	<b>\$20</b>	Per day
<b>Vehicles 4,000 lbs. and over</b>	STT and STX	<b>\$50</b>	Per day
<b>Heavy equipment hourly</b>	STJ	<b>\$15</b>	Per hour
<b>Heavy equipment daily</b>	STT, STX and STJ	<b>\$100</b>	Per day
<b>20 containers or chassis hourly</b>	STJ	<b>\$15</b>	Per hour
<b>20ft containers or chassis daily</b>	STT, STX and STJ	<b>\$100</b>	Per day
<b>40 ft containers or chassis hourly</b>	STJ	<b>\$25</b>	Per hour
<b>40 ft containers or chassis daily</b>	STT, STX and STJ	<b>\$150</b>	Per day
<b>Fuel tankers under 3,000 gallons</b>	STT, STX and STJ	<b>\$200</b>	Per day
<b>Fuel tankers 3,000 gallons and over</b>	STT, STX and STJ	<b>\$300</b>	Per day

**DOCKING FEES**

The docking is currently \$1 and will increase incrementally. The first increase of \$0.50 will be implemented on April 6, 2026, and the second increase of \$0.50 will be implemented on April 6, 2029.

**BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS INTER-ISLAND SHIP DUES AND WHARFAGE**

This fee will increase from \$8 to \$12 (\$4 ship dues, \$4 inbound wharfage, \$4 outbound wharfage).