

- **UNRESTRICTED:**

- “However Vessel operators are encouraged to have everyone wear a lifejacket while crossing the bar.”

- **RECREATIONAL:**

- “Recreational boats less than or equal to \_\_\_\_\_ feet in length are not permitted to cross the bar because of unsafe conditions. The Coast Guard has observed irregular wave interaction on the Yaquina Bay Entrance, and all mariners are advised to take caution when crossing the bar. Uninspected commercial passenger vessels, commercial fishing vessels and inspected small passenger vessels are required to have all personnel on deck wear lifejackets and have lifejackets readily accessible to all personnel within the deck house. Inspected small passenger vessels with Coast Guard approved bar crossing plans must follow their plans. All other vessels are encouraged to have everyone on board wear a lifejacket while crossing the bar.”

- **RECREATIONAL & UNINSPECTED:**

- “Recreational boats less than or equal to \_\_\_\_\_ feet and uninspected commercial passenger vessels less than or equal to \_\_\_\_\_ feet in length are not permitted to cross the bar because of unsafe conditions. The Coast Guard has observed irregular wave interaction on the Yaquina Bay Entrance, and all mariners are advised to take caution when crossing the bar. Inspected passenger vessels are required to have all personnel on deck wear lifejackets and have lifejackets readily accessible to all personnel within the deck house. Inspected small passenger vessels with Coast Guard approved bar crossing plans must follow their plans. All other vessels are encouraged to have everyone on board wear a lifejacket while crossing the bar.”

- **DETERIORATING BAR:**

- “Bar conditions are deteriorating and recreational boats less than or equal to \_\_\_\_\_ feet and uninspected commercial passenger vessels less than or equal to \_\_\_\_\_ feet in length will not be permitted to cross the bar due to expected conditions of \_\_\_\_\_. These affected vessels are advised to (RETURN/NOT RETURN) across the bar at this time. All vessel operators are encouraged to have everyone wear a lifejacket while crossing the bar. Inspected small passenger vessel masters are also reminded of their emergency preparation and safety requirements, including the provision to require passengers to wear lifejackets when possible hazardous conditions exist.

\_\_\_\_\_ (weather warning/advisories) are in effect from  
\_\_\_\_\_ (time) to \_\_\_\_\_ (time) or (no weather warnings are in affect).

The bar conditions will be updated every three hours or as conditions change. If detailed weather information is required, contact the National Weather Service at 503-261-9247. To contact Coast Guard Station Yaquina Bay, call 541-265-5381.”