

## VHF Frequencies and phone numbers common to the Port of Victoria

Agency	VHF	Call:	Phone	
Coast Guard Vessel Traffic	11	Victoria Traffic	250-363-6333	Use for reporting non-emergent information that may affect the normal flow of traffic in/out of the port. Use to contact the 'Coho' and other international ferries and cruise ships. Some fishing vessels and large yachts also monitor this channel when approaching or departing the port.
Coast Guard Distress & Calling	16	Victoria Coast Guard Radio	1-800-567-5111 *16 on cel phone	Use for reporting a marine emergency (Mayday), responding to a marine emergency or monitoring transmissions relating to a marine emergency. Use for calling 'ship to ship'. Do not use for unauthorized conversations (switch to a working channel) or for calling Coast Guard on routine matters. Note: if working on another channel, monitor VHF16. On most VHF radios you can monitor 16 by pressing and holding the 'Dual' button until it beeps. This will allow you to monitor 16 while working on another channel. Patrol and Police should always monitor VHF16.
Coast Guard Information	83A	Victoria Coast Guard Radio	250-363-6333	Use for reporting on/off duty and non-emergent conversations between you and Coast Guard. This channel should not be used as a working channel.
USCG Port Angeles Washington Group	22A	US Coast Guard, Port Angeles Washington Group		If you need to contact the USCG via radio use this station and frequency. They periodically request our assistance in checking the port for overdue vessels.
Seaspan Tugs	06	Rocket, Charles Cates XX, or Foam	250-920-7923	Seaspan tugs are another set of eyes in the port. They may occasionally observe and report incidents that require Patrol/Police to attend. Rocket is equipped with two fire fighting monitors.
Fishing Charter Boats	07	Vessel name		There are approx. ten fishing charter boats that operate out of the Port of Victoria. Most berth at Harbour Air Marina
Queen's Harbour Master/Port Security (Esquimalt Harbour)	10	QHM OPS	250-363-5358 250-889-3324 c	Can be contacted in regard to complaints of naval vessels while in the Port of Victoria, or to request assistance in locating vessels that may frequent both ports.
Johnson St. Bridge Attendant	12	Bridge Attendant	250-385-5717	Call to have the bridge raised.
Victoria Pilot Boat	17	Pilot Boat	250-363-3878	Pilot Boat(s) usually only come into the port for fuel or maintenance at Point Hope.

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Victoria Harbour Master's Office:	18A			
Victoria Harbour Master/Airport Manager – David Featherby	18A	HM1	250-363-3578 250-380-8177 c 250-388-6275 p # 1312	Note: The Harbour Master is the designated authority for the port and water airport.
Victoria Harbour Senior Port Operations Officer – Carol Unwin	18A	HM2	250-363-3077 250-812-0877 c 250-388-6275 p # 1312	
Victoria Harbour Patrol (May-Oct only)	18A	Harbour Patrol	250-812-6511	From May to October you will deal primarily with the Harbour Patrol. Three vessels patrol the harbour between 0630 and 2030 seven days per week. Unless you specifically want to speak with the Harbour Master, call the Harbour Patrol.
Greater Victoria Harbour Authority Society	66A	Harbour Society	250-383-8326	GVHAS are primarily landlords and marina operators. They have one marked and two unmarked vessels. GVHAS vessels are not to be used for enforcement purposes.
Coast Harbourside Marina	66A	Coast Harbourside Marina	250-360-1211	
Victoria Marine Fuels	66A	Harbour Fuels	250-381-5221	
Victoria Harbour Ferry Co.	67	Harbour Ferry Watch Commander	250-708-0201 250-216-3232 c	All requests for assistance, information exchange or complaints about a ferry should be directed to the Watch Commander. Contact the Watch Commander via VHF67 and request to meet. Harbour Ferry skippers are very familiar with port operations and are another set of eyes in keeping the port safe.
King Brothers Shipping Agents	73	King Brothers	250-384-1174	King Brothers are the local agent for cruise ships and some container ships that use Ogden Pt. facility. They may request assistance with controlling traffic when a large ship is arriving/departing Ogden Pt. or when small vessels are transiting too close to a ship.
Whale Watching Tour Boats	77 & 79	Vessel Name		There are approx. forty four boats operating out of the port.