

A Simple Solution for a New Dock

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Purchasing a boat eventually entails add ons and electronic upgrades and then you have to figure out how to preserve the now-improved vessel to YOUR standards.

For me, I wanted a lifting mechanism to keep the boat out of the water when not in use to both preserve the bottom and avoid surges at the dock from current, tides and wakes from other boaters. This all points to getting a permanent boat lift, right?

That is what I thought and pursued various lift contractors as well as dock installation companies and the city, state and Army Corps. of Engineers. I kept running into various roadblocks and detours in this process and after more than a year of quotes, advice, and deposits, still no lift. The city issued a permit, then rescinded. The state has NEW permit requirements and Army Corps. of Engineers' paperwork would take another year, minimum ... FRUSTRATING!!!

I needed a solution that would be affordable, easy to use, withstand abuse and last; the less maintenance, the better. If at all possible, I wanted something BETTER than the traditional permanent lift. I found the solution to ALL of my concerns with the LAUNCH PAD from Hi-Tide. This system is

beyond my expectations because it also is expandable to accommodate a larger vessel.

Who doesn't get two-foot-itus eventually? This lift will adapt to different bunk arrangements AND you can take it with you if you move!

What this unit provides that I didn't plan on with the permanent lift is:

- . No pylons to be installed
- No cables or exposed hardware to keep replacing
- · Quiet and easy to operate
- · A flat supported surface on BOTH sides of vessel
- Not one permit or installation fee from governing bodies
- NO MAINTENANCE
- Expandable
- Numerous extras available for "future possibilities"
- · Back up from an ESTABLISHED company

There are two things about this experience that sold me and that was: the minimum of moving parts because of its excellent engineering, and the representative for Hi-Tide, Chuck Gerber. Give him a call at 800-544-0735 or email at launchpadlift.com and find out for yourself the advantages to this terrific alternative. You will be glad you did! ■

