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## Memorandum 20-017(A)

TO: MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
THROUGH: CITY MANAGER KATIE KOESTER  
FROM: BRYAN HAWKINS HARBORMASTER  
DATE: JANUARY 18, 2020  
SUBJECT: DEEP WATER DOCK FENDER REPAIR

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On November 19-2019 a vessel collided with our Deep Water Dock and damaged one of the dock fender units. The vessel owner was contacted as well as his insurance company. A claim was filed and a local marine surveyor was engaged by the insurance company to oversee the claim. The city issued a task order to R&M Consulting one of our term contract engineering firms to represent the cities interests and oversee the repair project. A survey of the damage will be completed this week and from that a plan will be formed based on the extent of the damage and how the repairs will be done. At this time it is difficult to come up with a cost estimate as we do not know the full extent of the damage but I estimate it will be less than \$100,000 but more than \$25,000.

Ordinance 20-07 authorizes the city to pay contractors for the repair labor and materials. The city will be fully reimbursed by the vessel owner's insurance company.