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Navigational Warning Request - 2023-15

Organization Name and Contact Number: Fairway Gorge Paddling Club

Site Name and Contact Number: Kyle Chow, Manager, Operations and Events – 250-812-5366

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Start Date and Time: 2023-07-08 – 0830 - 1630 Local

End Date and Time: 2023-07-09 – 0830 - 1630 Local

Location of Activity: START at 49° 10.58'N 123° 56.26'W (South of Nanaimo Yacht Club)

FINISH at 49° 10.32'N 123° 56.11'W (Fisherman's Pier)

Brief Description of Work: **Nanaimo Dragon Boat Festival** races will take place within an area marked by buoys (three lanes across) from the Nanaimo Yacht Club to the Fisherman's Pier. 1,200 paddlers are expected to participate.

Hours of Operation: Saturday, July 8th and Sunday July 9th, 2022, between 0830 - 1630 Local

Vessels on Site: One RCMSAR Vessel – Contact Michel Morin @ 250-739-6931

VHF Channels Monitored: VHF Ch. 16 (156.800 MHz) Vessel Traffic

VHF Ch. 69 (156.757 MHz) Event Communications

Special Requests or Additional Information:

All mariners are requested to use extreme caution when navigating through this area.