

Marina Destroyed by Superstorm Sandy in Gateway National Recreational Area is Re-built

For Immediate Release, September 15, 2015, Chestnut Ridge, NY: JT Cleary completed the reconstruction of the Great Kills Park Marina in Staten Island, New York, for the Federal Highway Administration. The marina, which is located on a peninsula of 580 acres of open space, was destroyed during Hurricane Sandy in 2012. The rebuilding including installation of 130 timber piles, nearly 200 pipe piles, and 159 floating docks supplied by Meeco Sullivan.



“Restoring the beauty and functionality of this marina was an important step in the recovery from Superstorm Sandy,” commented JT Cleary CEO, Jim Cleary. “Looking forward, there is a real movement now in the mid-Atlantic region toward improving coastal resiliency measures, and we look forward to playing a role in protecting local infrastructure.”

As Steve Sullivan, President of Meeco Sullivan noted, “We are delighted to see boats back in the water this year. We’ve built two other dock systems for Marinas of The Future, Inc. but this project required extensive design work and collaboration with the marina owners, the NPS, the FHD and VHB visiting our Warwick, New York factory several times to brainstorm and finalize the best design so it would not only meet the owner’s needs but so it could better withstand future hurricane force winds and storm surges.”

About JT Cleary

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