


Safe anchoring and protecting a newly planted seagrass meadow in Plymouth Sound

A Voluntary No-Anchor Zone is in place around a newly planted seagrass meadow in Jennycliff Bay, Plymouth Sound. This zone will help to protect the habitat from anchoring damage and promote the recovery of seagrass meadows, which have declined significantly across UK waters.



Marker buoys are in place around the area to provide boaters with a visual indication when out on the water. The Queen's Harbour Master has also issued a notice to mariners, which includes location details (50° 20.760'N 004° 07.560'W).



Voluntary No-Anchor Zones are intended to help boaters make an informed choice about where to anchor. Safety is paramount and the zone is not intended to limit safe anchorage when needed. However, during smooth sailing, we ask boaters to respect the Voluntary No-Anchor Zone and explore safe alternative anchorages nearby and be part of this wildlife restoration programme.

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