

NOTICE TO AGENTS, BERTH AND SHIP OPERATORS No.13 of 2020

NEW STRUCTURE PLA HARBOUR MASTER'S TEAM

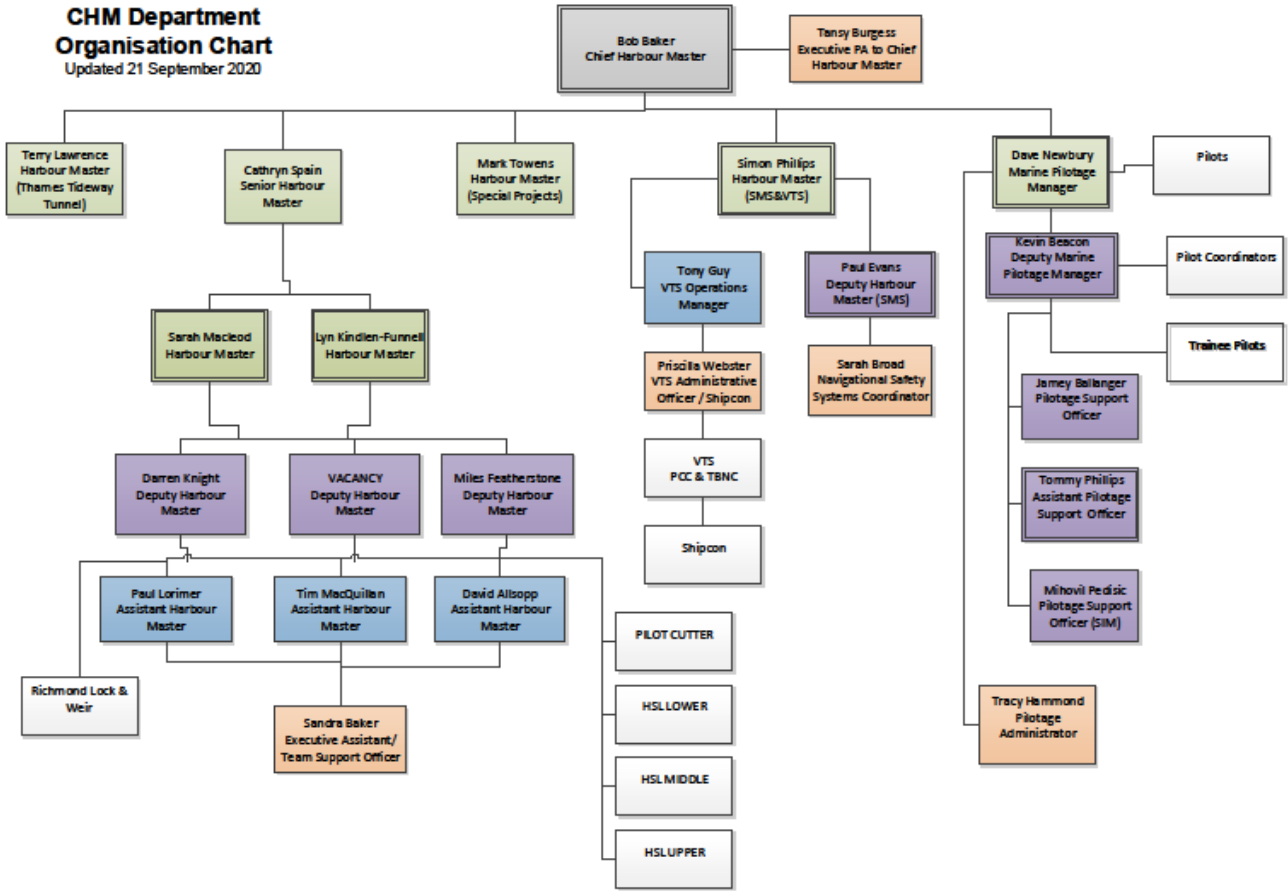
With more challenging times ahead, we have restructured the Harbour Master's team to create a more flexible, efficient and resilient team covering the 'whole river' rather than the historic focus on upper and lower districts. The accompanying organisation chart shows the new structure which was put in place on the 1 September 2020.

The upper, middle and lower districts will still exist for Vessel Traffic Services, Notice to Mariners, etc. There will continue to be a Harbour Master presence in Pinnacle House, our London office and several of the team will be based there, although there will be greater flexibility, with coverage along the river provided by all team members.

Individuals' telephone numbers and email addresses remain unchanged and the generic Upper District hmu@pla.co.uk and Lower District lowerdistrict@pla.co.uk email addresses remain in use.

The organisation chart below provides the detail of the new structure.

**CHM Department
Organisation Chart**
Updated 21 September 2020



**21st September
2020**

Port of London Authority
London River House, Royal Pier Road,
Gravesend, Kent DA12 2BG

**Bob Baker
Chief Harbour Master**



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