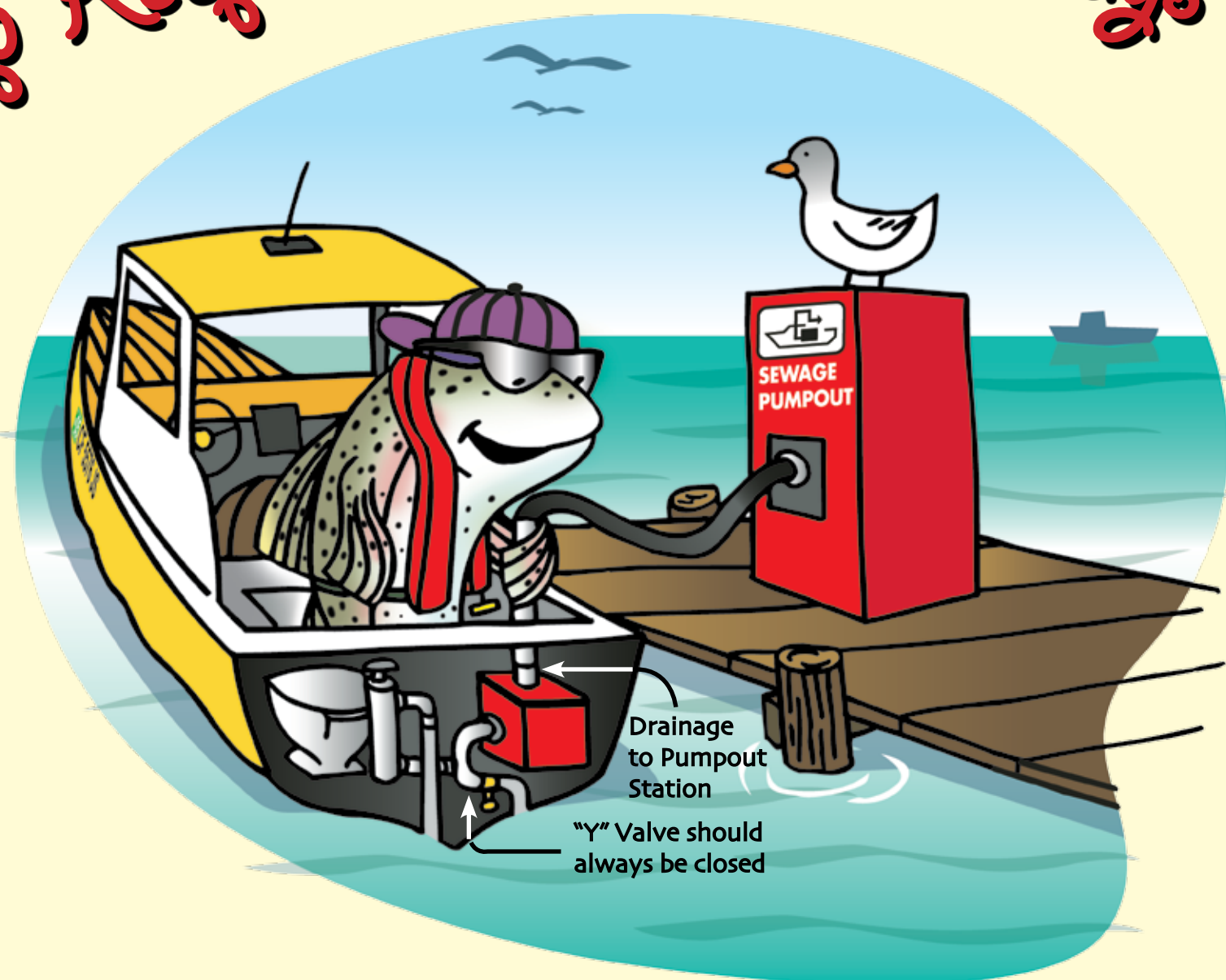



Help Keep California Waterways Clean!



## USE PUMPOUTS AND DUMP STATIONS

- It is **illegal** to discharge raw sewage into California waters.
- All boats with an installed toilet must have a Coast Guard-approved Marine Sanitation Device (MSD) if operating in US navigable waters.
- Visit a marina with a sewage pumpout  and/or port-a-potty dump station to properly dispose of sewage. Call **1-800-CLEANUP** or visit [www.dbw.ca.gov](http://www.dbw.ca.gov) or [www.earth911.org](http://www.earth911.org) to find sewage pumpout locations near you.
- Read the labels and look for holding tank disinfectants and deodorizers that do not contain chlorine, formaldehyde or other components that can be harmful to aquatic organisms.
- Keep the "Y" valve properly secured in a closed position to prevent accidental discharges (use a padlock or wire tie).
- It is illegal to discharge wastes, treated or not, into a federally designated No Discharge Zone. Your MSD must be connected to a holding tank or secured to prevent all sewage discharges. No Discharge Areas in California are:

**Los Angeles County:**

Avalon Bay Harbor

**Orange County:**

Huntington Harbor

Sunset Bay

Upper and Lower Newport Bay

Dana Point Harbor

**San Diego County:**

Oceanside Harbor

San Diego Bay

Mission Bay

**Ventura County:**

Channel Islands Harbor

**Placer & El Dorado Counties:**

Lake Tahoe

**Marin County:**

Richardson Bay

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