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## New *Yachtworks* Headquarters underway at NorthHarbor

John Fitzgerald, President/CEO of Saunders *Yachtworks*, announced today that work was underway on the first building of Saunders *Yachtworks* new headquarters. "This is a very exciting step for our company," says Mr Fitzgerald. "This 13000 square foot office/warehouse/shops building for Yachtworks is the first phase of construction for what we believe will be the premier yacht renovation and repair facility in the Northern Gulf."

Located at MM155.5 along the Intracoastal Waterway (ICW) in Gulf Shores, Alabama, at the new NorthHarbor Yacht Center, Saunders *Yachtworks* new headquarters is an expansion for the company from their existing Orange Beach location. "We plan to always operate our boatyard in the Orange Beach Marina", says Mr Fitzgerald. "We have strong relationships with many customers who have vessels home-ported in that marina and with the ownership of the marina. It is very important to us to sustain these relationships."

Plans call for the first Saunders *Yachtworks* building to be occupied by year end. Following phases include excavation of a 3.5 acre basin and construction full service boatyard. Mr Fitzgerald concludes, "We believe this is the perfect location for our expansion. The growth opportunities for us with this site along ICW will allow us the access to deeper water that brings larger yachts. We have the capability and competency to operate a larger facility and expand our customer base. We are pleased to have this opportunity!"

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