

Massport's Foreign Trade Zone: Your Import/Export Advantage

At Massport, Adding Value is Our Business

The Massachusetts Port Authority (Massport) is a dynamic, independent public authority, responsible for operating New England's premier airport and seaport facilities, stimulating the local economy and facilitating international trade. You can depend on us to get your import and export cargo quickly and efficiently to your markets – whether in the U.S. or around the globe – to keep your costs competitive.

Massport's FTZ # 27: Your Value-Added Advantage

When you use a foreign trade zone (FTZ) like Massport's FTZ # 27, you save time and money. That's because within the FTZ, foreign goods are considered to be international commerce and not subject to U.S. Customs duties unless or until entered into the United States. In addition, raw materials, parts, and components can be admitted duty-free into an FTZ. Goods can then be assembled, manufactured, or processed – and the final product re-exported – without paying U.S. Customs duties. Some of the things a foreign trade zone allows you are:

- bringing in a product incrementally, thereby preserving cash flow and gaining interest savings;
- repairing, salvaging, or cleaning a product for distribution;
- storing and re-packing merchandise for export or domestic distribution;
- manufacturing a product from foreign and/or domestic parts.

Massport's FTZ # 27: Your Value-Added Advantage

Massport's general purpose FTZ # 27 consists of 129 acres conveniently located at various sites around Boston Harbor, easily accessible by highways I-93 and I-95, as well as the Massachusetts Turnpike and the Ted Williams and Sumner Tunnels. Because of its proximity to Logan International Airport and the public terminals in the Port of Boston, FTZ # 27 serves importers to the New England region and wider domestic markets as well as exporters to markets worldwide.

FTZ # 27's Specific Sites

East Boston

There are three sites comprising 39 acres in and around Logan International Airport that cover assorted fuel farm facilities. Bosfuel, the FTZ operator of the East Boston/Logan Airport site, can be contacted through William J. Phelan, c/o Charter Brokerage Corp., Tel.(203)967-4140.

12 Channel Street South Boston

Just over two acres, it includes a nine-story building with 315,000 square feet located within the Boston Marine Industrial Park.

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FTZ # 27's Specific Sites

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**Boston Freight Terminals
329 Northern Avenue
South Boston**

This 5-acre site within the International Cargo Center of New England consists of 150,000 square feet of warehouse space and approximately 2 acres of container yard. Boston Freight Terminals also operates a U.S. Customs bonded Container Freight Station, a U.S. Customs Central Examination Station, and a U.S. Customs General Order (G.O.) warehouse. U.S. Customs service staff are stationed full-time at Boston Freight Terminals. The facility is strategically located within 1 mile of both Logan International Airport and Conley Marine Terminal, and within 2 miles of the Interstate highway system. Contact Neil Fitzpatrick, Tel. (617)912-4610.

Charlestown (Boston)

This site is the 62-acre Boston Autoport at Moran Terminal and Mystic Pier, a dedicated vehicle import/export processing terminal. It includes 250,000 square feet of indoor storage space and good highway connections.

International Cargo Port

Approximately 9 acres within Boston's Marine Industrial Park, this is Boston's largest waterfront intermodal transportation facility. It offers approximately 400,000 square feet of warehouse and related office space and use of the adjacent dock. Contact Paul Dahn, Tel. (617)439-8989.

**Coastal, Inc.
Mansfield**

This 10-acre FTZ site within Coastal's facility includes 9 acres of secured container yard and 1 acre (44,000 square feet) of warehouse space. Coastal also operates a Container Freight Station, and is designated a U.S. Customs Central Examination Station. The Coastal container yard offers 24-hour security while operating 7 days per week, 365 days a year, and is strategically located at the intersection of Interstate highways Route 495 and Route 95 in Mansfield, MA. Contact Rick Sousa, Tel. (508)339-3393.

Kellaway Intermodal & Distribution Systems, Randolph

This 5-acre FTZ site within Kellaway's facility consists of 5 acres of secured container yard. Kellaway also operates a Container Freight Station and is designated a U.S. Customs Central Exam Station. The Randolph container yard offers 24-hour security while operating 7 days per week, 365 days a year, and is strategically located at the intersection of Interstate highways Route 24 and Route 139 in Randolph, MA. Contact David McLaughlin, Tel. (781)961-8200.

How to Get Your FTZ Advantage

For more information, contact Massport's Maritime Department at (617) 946-4445, or (800) 294-2791, or Email: lvikesland@massport.com



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