



Station Nahant, Massachusetts

Coast Guard Station #24

Location:	On the neck, just north of Nahant, Mass.; 42-25' 45"N x 70-56' 00"W
Date of Conveyance:	1898
Station Built:	1899
Fate:	Discontinued in 1963

Remarks:

Nahant station was built in 1889-1900 "on the neck, close to Nahant" on Short Beach between Broad Sound and Nahant Bay. The total land area is 1.04 acres and the land was acquired by an Act of Congress in 1898. The launchway was built on the site in 1939. In 1930 the notation appeared that the mailing address was "winter address: care of Winnisimmet Shipyard, Chelsea, Massachusetts."

Total capital expenditures \$45,000.

FY 61 74 Assistance cases

FY 62 101 Assistance cases

FY 63 157 Assistance cases

Annual cost FY 63 \$85,261

Nahant LBS was listed for disestablishment in December 1963.

Keepers:

The first keeper was Nehemiah C. Hayman, who was appointed March 16, 1900 and retired with thirty years service on December 15, 1915. Next came Frank A. Gove (reassigned from the Gurnet station on December 16, 1915 and served until he retired on January 19, 1929). The next officer in charge is shown as Chief Petty Officer R. C. Rich in 1929, having been reassigned from the Highland station. He was gone in 1935 and followed by Chief J. H. Carver.

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