Recreational Boating

AN AMERICAN PASTIME & ECONOMIC ENGINE



ANNUAL ECONOMIC
IMPACT IN MASSACHUSETTS

\$4.4 BILLION

INCLUDES MANUFACTURERS
AND SUPPLIERS, SALES AND
SERVICES, BOATING ACTIVITIES,
AND BUSINESS TAX REVENUE

SUPPORTS

20,362

MASSACHUSETTS JOBS BUSINESS

16,617 DIRECT JOBS & 3,746 INDIRECT JOBS



141.6 MILLION

AMERICANS GO BOATING EACH YEAR



U.S. BOATING
IS A NET EXPORTER

\$1.3 BILLION
ANNUAL POAT EXPORTS



ANNUAL RETAIL SALES
OF NEW BOATS, ENGINES
& MARINE ACCESSORIES
IN MASSACHUSETTS

\$342 MILLION





95%

OF BOATS SOLD IN THE U.S. ARE made in the U.S.



62%

OF BOAT OWNERS HAVE AN ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME OF

\$100,000 or less



84%

OF U.S. BOAT
MANUFACTURERS ARE
small businesses



95%

OF BOATS IN THE U.S. ARE SMALL, TOWABLE BOATS under 26ft

