



MAINE MARINE TRADES ASSOCIATION

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ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Regular Membership - any individual, firm or corporation primarily engaged in the marine trades industry in the State of Maine may be eligible for regular membership in the Association. In addition, the applicant must also have a substantive connection with the boat building and/or repairing or recreational boating segments of our industry and have fundamental interests in common with those of the Association.

Affiliate Membership - individuals, firms, or corporations who, though not primarily engaged in the marine industry, nevertheless provide goods and/or services to support marine businesses in Maine.

Student Membership - individuals enrolled in accredited full-time educational programs leading to a certificate, diploma or degree, who have an interest in boatbuilding or marine trades and whose personal goals include full time employment in the industry.

Retiree Membership - Individuals who are retired from their occupation and who have an interest in boatbuilding or marine trades.

Applications and Fees: Per the MMTA By-laws, all applications are to be submitted to the Association's Board of Directors for approval and acceptance. Application forms must be completed and accompanied by a check for the current year's dues and fees, as determined from the following schedules:

REGULAR MEMBERS	NUMBER OF PERSONS - Incl. Owners & Managers	ANNUAL DUES INVESTMENT
	1 – 3	\$375.00
	4 – 10	\$475.00
	11 – 25	\$600.00
	26 – 35	\$725.00
	36 - 49	\$800.00
	50 – 74	\$1075.00
	75 or more	\$1175.00

AFFILIATE MEMBERS	AREAS & CATEGORIES SERVED	ANNUAL DUES INVESTMENT
Small Firms	Very limited areas & categories	\$550.00
Medium Firms	Larger segment of Maine marine businesses	\$725.00
Large Firms	Serving Maine marine businesses statewide	\$875.00

STUDENT MEMBERS		\$ 50.00
RETIREE MEMBERS		\$100.00

Please see **Dues Pro Rata** information if you are submitting your application after Jan. 1st

Please complete the Membership Application Form and mail it along with your dues check to:

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Membership Application Form

The Undersigned Firm hereby applies for membership in the **MAINE MARINE TRADES ASSOCIATION**. It is understood that Members shall be expected to abide by the By-Laws and Policies of the Association and to support the stated goals and objectives of the organization. Firms with subsidiary or affiliated (common ownership) firms that would like to have those firms included in their membership should remit dues at the rate appropriate for the total number of employees. Please include contact information for those additional entities.

FIRM NAME	
Mailing Address	
Street Address if different	
Additional Locations	
Telephone Number	
Fax Number	
E-mail Address	
Web Site Address	
Name of Owner	
Name of Company Contact	
Number of Persons Employed	
Number of Years in Business	
Parent Firm (if any)	
Subsidiary or Affiliated Firms (if any)	

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Dues Investment for **REGULAR** Member Application \$ _____

OR

Dues Investment for **AFFILIATE** Member Application \$ _____

One-time New Member Processing Fee \$ 25.00

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Please provide email addresses for additional mailing(s) to:

Signature of Authorized Company Representative

Printed Name & Title

Date Submitted: _____

Please complete other side

BUSINESS CLASSIFICATIONS In order for us to accurately describe your business to consumers and to aid in the development of promotional materials please check all that apply.

Accounting Services	Bank/Financial Services	Boat Show Promoter
Boat Builder	Boat Yard	Boating Publication
Broker	Canvas	Composite Parts Builder
Consultant	Dock/Float Builder	Documentation Service
Dredging	Engineering Services	Environmental Services
Finance (sales)	Insurance	Legal Services
Life Rafts	Machine Shop	Manufacturer
Manufacturer's Rep	Marina	Marine Retail
Marketing/Public Relations	Mooring Installation/Service	Museum
Naval Architect	Propeller Repair	Rentals
Restaurant	Sailmaker/Rigging	Servicing Dealer
Spar Builder	Storage	Surveyor
Telecommunications	Towing/Salvage	Transport
Vocational School	Wholesale Distributor	Yacht Joinery
Yacht Management	Other (describe)	

Tell us about your company! We will use this information for your member profile on our web site. Be sure to include what kinds of boats your build or sell, what engine manufacturers you represent, anything that might be useful to a potential customer when doing a keyword search. _____

Please send a digital photo (jpeg file – preferred image size 344 pixels wide by 227 pixels high) that we can use for your profile. You may e-mail your photo to stacey@mainemarinetrades.com.

REGULAR MEMBER	DUES PRO RATA		
Applications submitted in			
Oct., Nov., Dec. Pay	Jan., Feb., or Mar. Pay	Apr., May or Jun. Pay	Jul., Aug., Sept. Pay
Full Payment = \$375.00	\$281.25	\$187.50	\$93.75
\$475.00	356.25	237.50	118.75
\$600.00	450.00	300.00	150.00
\$725.00	543.75	362.50	181.25
\$800.00	600.00	400.00	200.00
\$1075.00	806.25	537.50	268.75
\$1175.00	881.25	587.50	293.75
AFFILIATE MEMBER	DUES PRO RATA		
Applications submitted in	Jan., Feb., or Mar. Pay	Apr., May or June Pay	Jul., Aug., or Sep. Pay
Full Payment = \$ 550.00	\$412.50	\$275.00	\$137.50
725.00	543.75	362.50	181.25
875.00	656.25	437.50	218.75

MMTA Member Benefits

The Maine Marine Trades Association is dedicated to providing its members with a high level of service as well as helping to find ways to save money.

- **Biennial Wage Survey**
- **The Owner/Operators Guide to Permits & Rules for Marinas & Boatyards**
- **Frequent distribution of news & updates**
- **Advocacy with legislature & regulatory agencies**
- **Referrals & notice of new business opportunities and grant programs**
- **Members only pricing on events and training programs**

What our Members Are Saying About Us

Over the course of many years in the Marine Industry, I have found MMTA to be an incredibly valuable resource to the companies I work for. On more than one occasion they have bailed us out of a jam by providing us with information to assist us with sales tax audits, OSHA visits, and DEP visits. Occasionally they have been more knowledgeable than the people doing the audit/walk through as far as what the policies and regulations are! We have found their advice to be well worth the membership fees several times over. MMTA's commitment to their membership includes valuable training for the workforce offered at very low cost. It's great to know that there is an organization out there watching what is going on at the state and federal level that might have an impact to our industry. MMTA consistently keeps us updated and well informed. **Tuesdi Woodworth • Front Street Shipyard, Belfast**

"MMTA has brought me three very valuable things in this industry: friendships I did not think I would need; business opportunities I did not know existed; and a source of intel I needed to stay ahead of trouble." **Tom Allen • Kittery Point Yacht Yard, Kittery**

"Over the years MMTA played a critical role in the development of my business. Without MMTA I wouldn't have had any prior warning about important pending government issues, including: Submerged Lands Lease fees, DEP Storm Water revisions, DEP Bottom wash regulations and air quality issues, Sales and Use Tax revisions, including an important reduction in this tax to out of state customers, Access to the Governor's office to discuss issues of concern to my business, Workshops on OSHA and ME Dept. of Labor regulations, Critical information about dealing with my local fire department and county emergency management agency, MMTA worked with various state agencies on job training - my company qualified for over \$20K in training expenses that were very helpful in improving the way I operate my business I could go on...." **Sean Tarpey • Rumery's Boat Yard, Biddeford**

"Sometimes we feel a little isolated out here on the island so we are really grateful to MMTA for keeping us on top of what's going on in the industry and beyond. And we love being able to pick up the phone and have someone there to help us whenever we need it. **John Gorham • Dark Harbor Boatyard, 700 Acre Island**