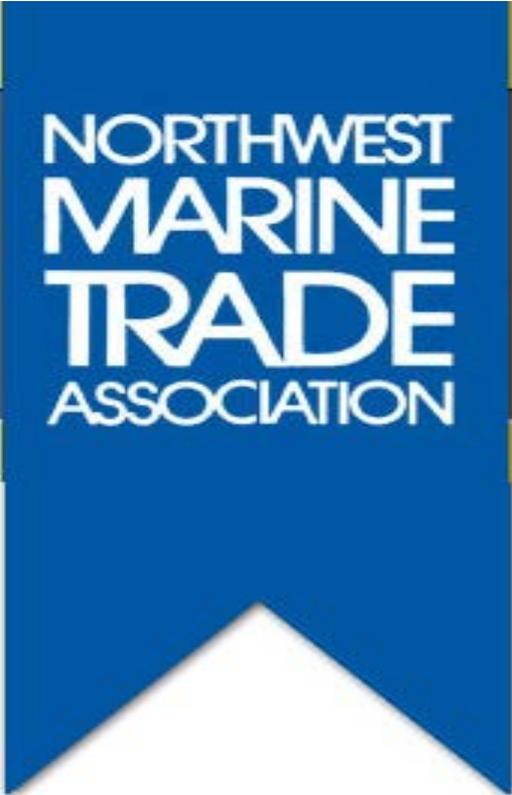


Recreational Boating Barriers / Opportunities

Peter Schrappen
Vice President, Northwest Marine Trade Association
September 30

The logo consists of a blue vertical banner with a white chevron shape at the bottom. The text "NORTHWEST MARINE TRADE ASSOCIATION" is written in white, uppercase, sans-serif font, centered within the banner.

NORTHWEST
MARINE
TRADE
ASSOCIATION

\$4 billion industry

235,000 registered boats

Pay \$70 million in taxes; get \$54 M in services

My group: 725 member businesses around the
state (from Clarkston to Port Angeles,
Vancouver to Bellingham)

Mission: Grow Boating





Boating means business





The Marine Industry as an Ecosystem





Recreational



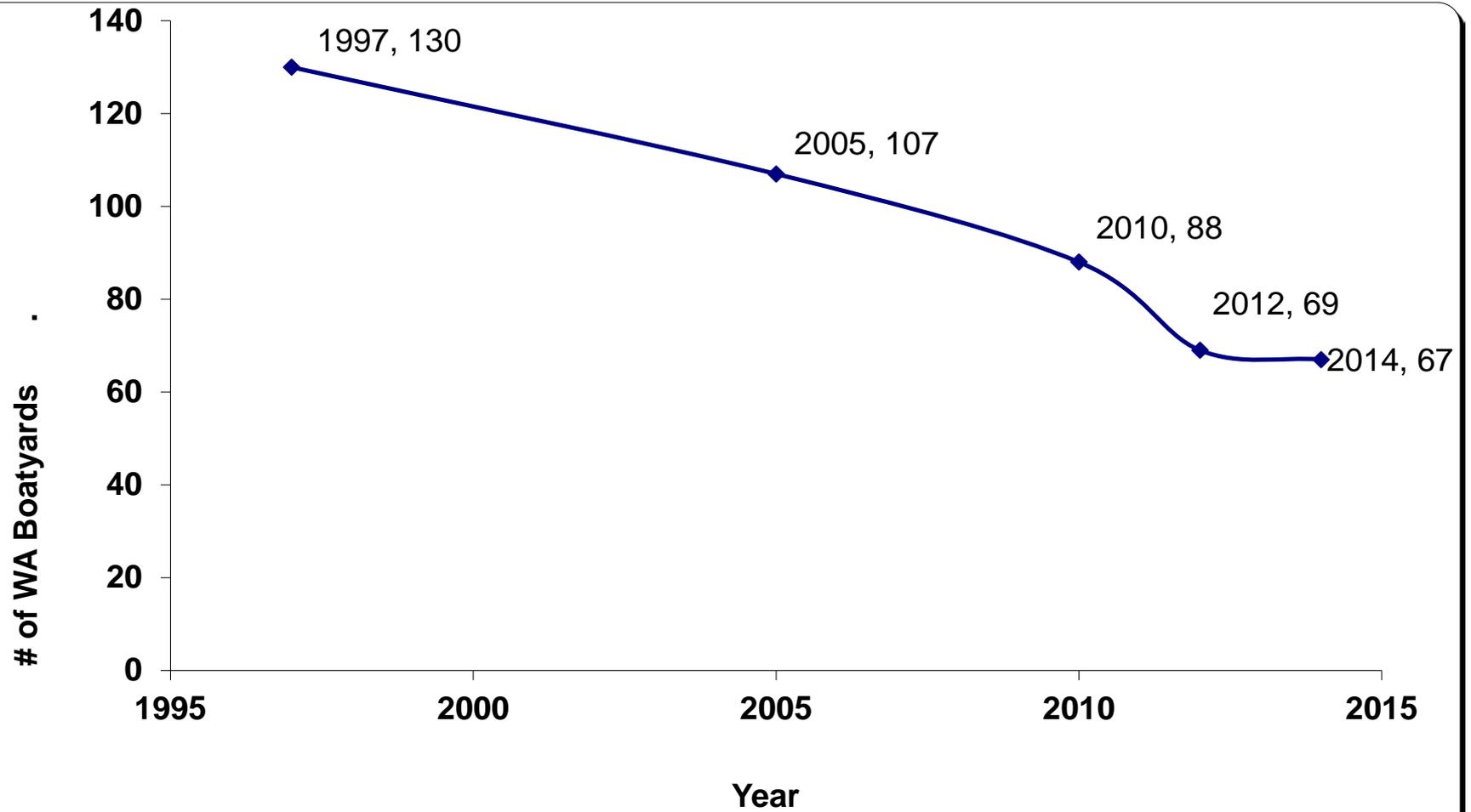
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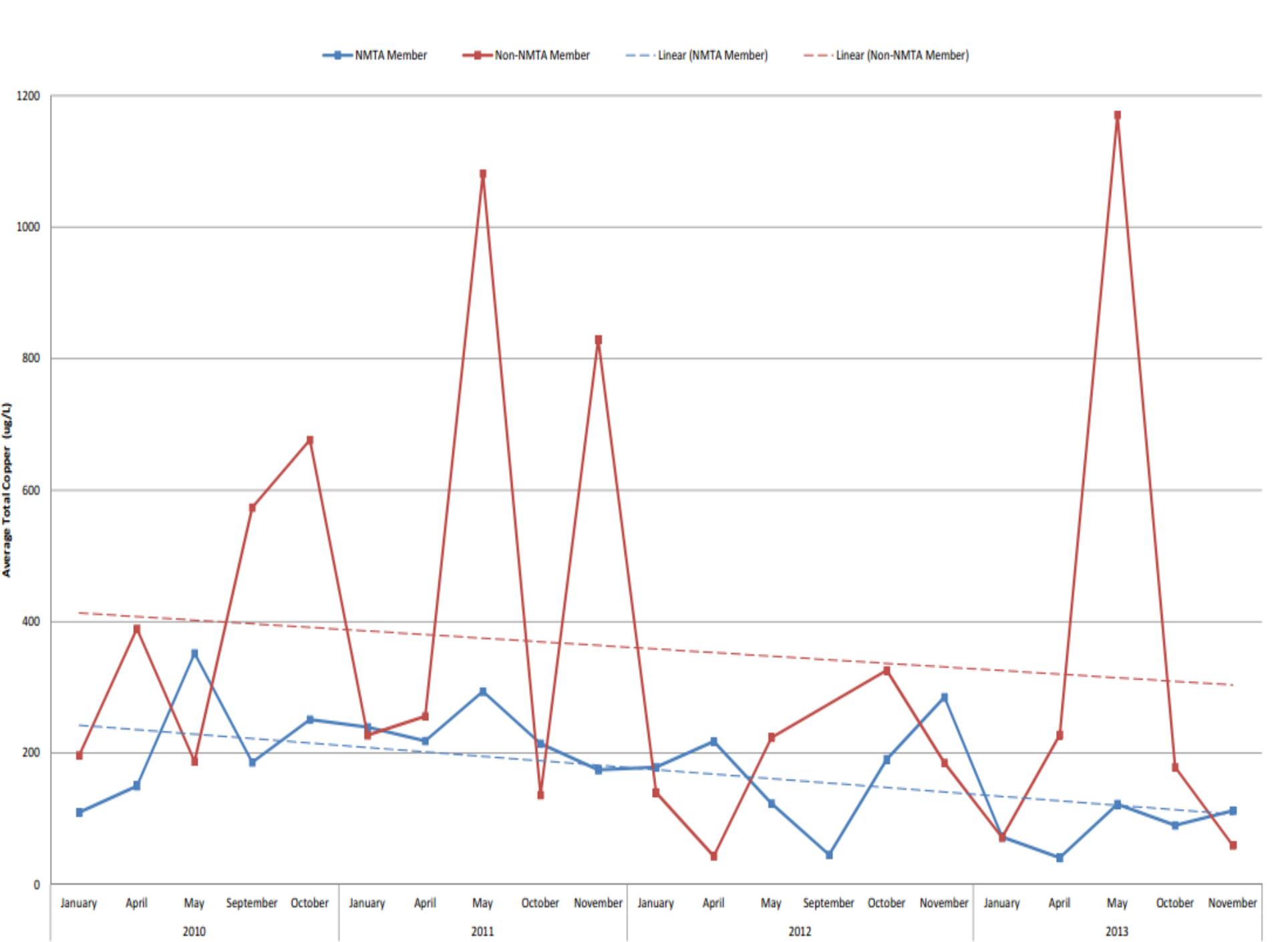


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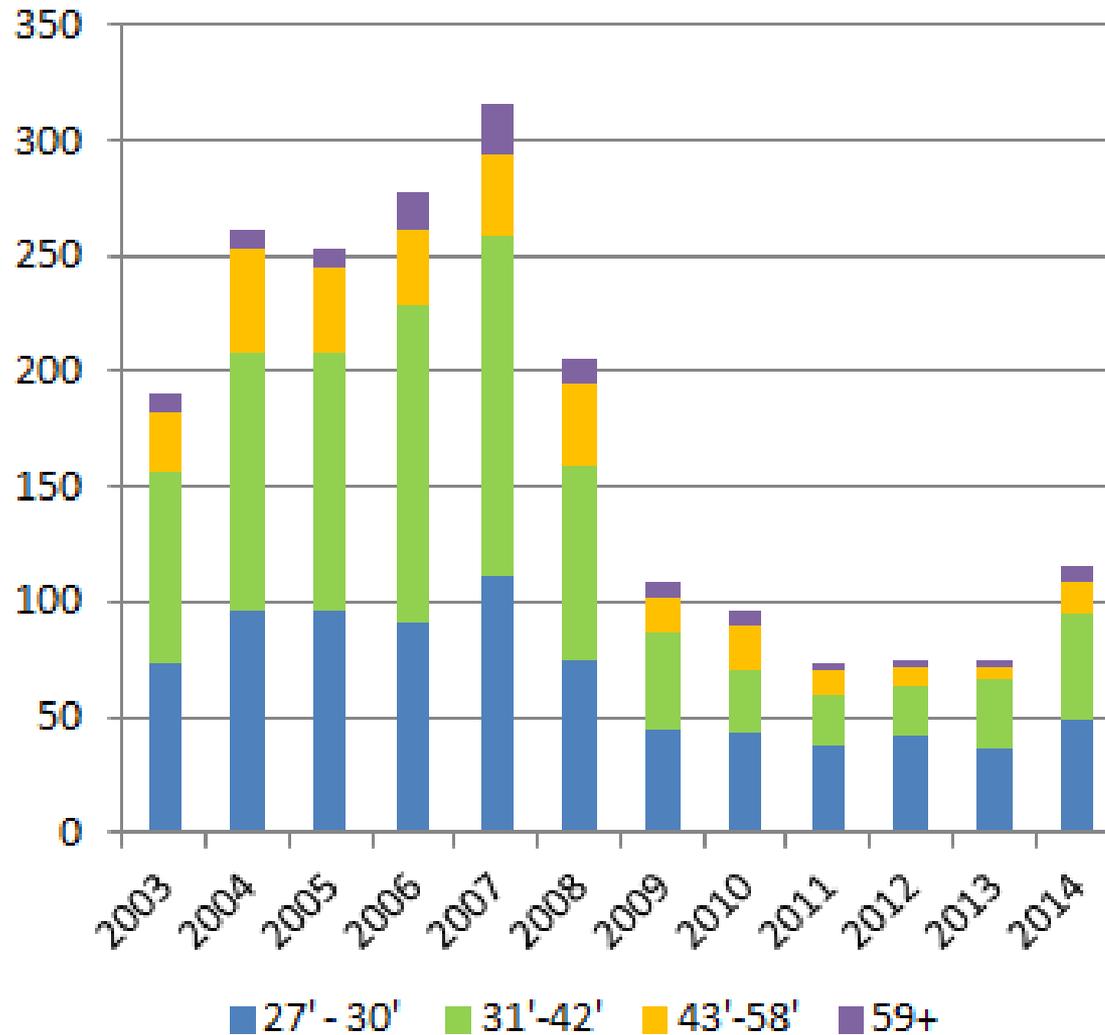


Northwest Marine Trade Association Receives Environmental Award

March 11, 2013 | by Ben Lee and Peter Schrapen



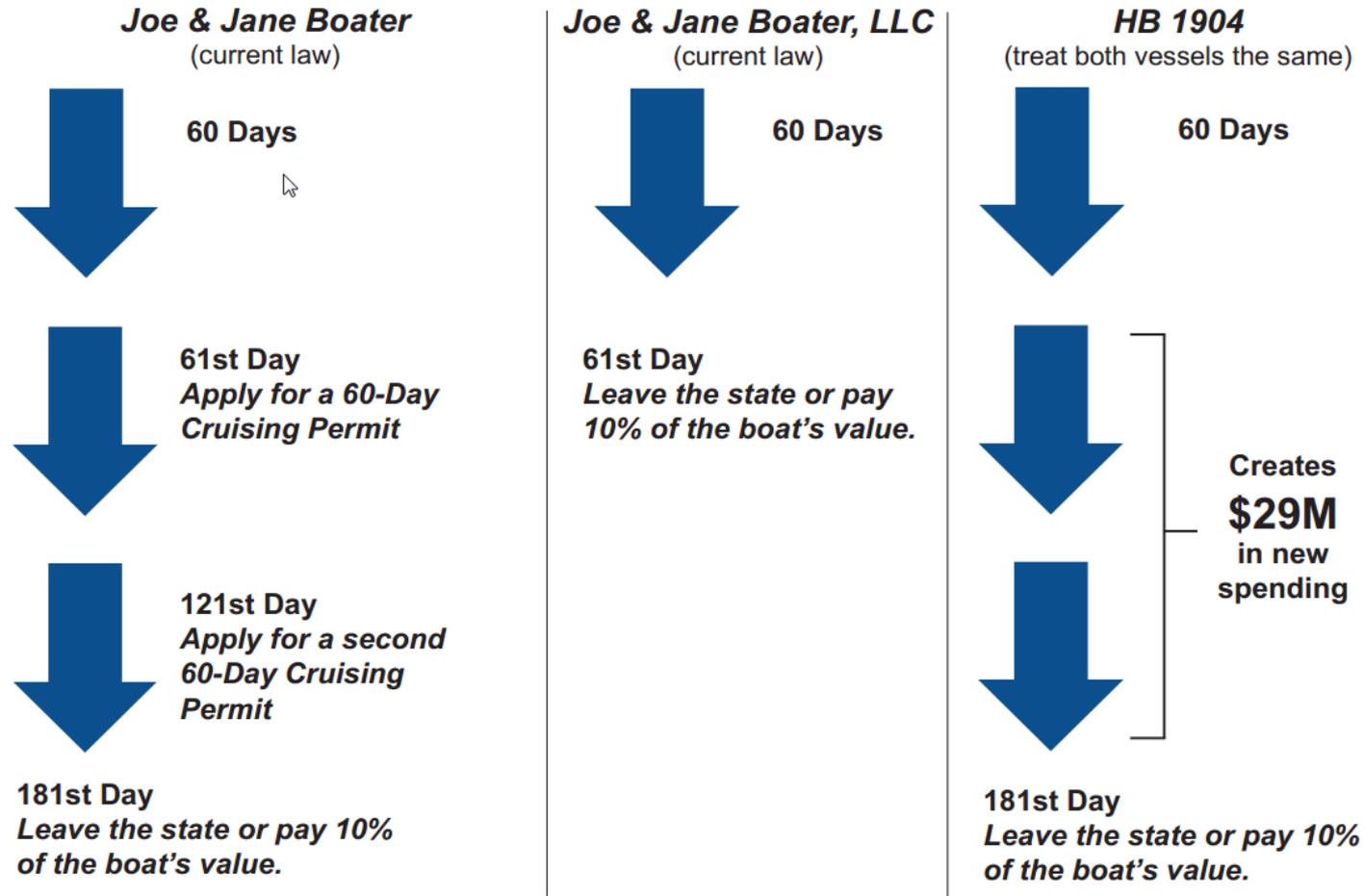
Boats 27 feet & longer - # of units

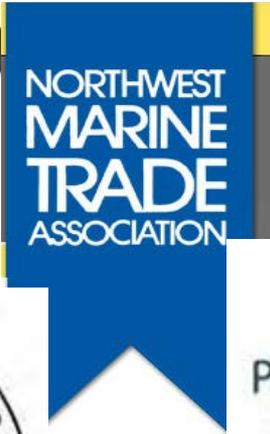


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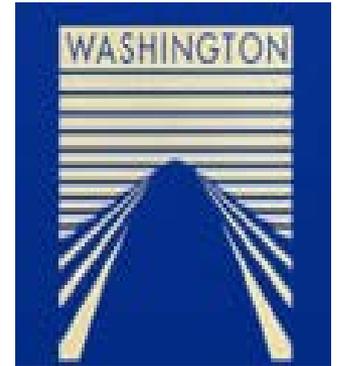
- **ACTION 6** – Enact the marine tourism legislation
- **ACTION 11** – Continue to fund and protect current outdoor recreation grant programs, including the Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program, Boating Facilities Program, Nonhighway and Off-Road Vehicles Account, and others administered by the Recreation and Conservation Funding Board.
- **ACTION 12** – Remove the 23-cent cap on the portion of the gas tax attributed to off-road recreation that is transferred to the dedicated accounts for off-road vehicles (Nonhighway and Off-Road Vehicle Activities program), boating (Boating Facilities Program), and the snowmobiling grant program.

Marine Tourism & Working Waterfront Legislation





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