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**Michigan Boating Industries Association Announces 2020 Board of Directors** *Officers Appointed*

**Commerce Twp., Mich., December 10, 2019** – At the MBIA Annual Meeting and Recreational Boating Educational Conference on December 5, four marine business people were elected to serve as directors of the Michigan Boating Industries Association, a state-wide, non-profit marine trade association representing more than 350 marine businesses in Michigan.

Amy Malow Krueger of Jefferson Beach Yacht Sales in St. Clair Shores and Warren Wolf of Wolf's Marine in Benton Harbor were appointed as State-Wide Directors, Tom Ervin of Walstrom Marine in Harbor Springs was re-elected as Northern Regional Director and Jim Coburn of Coburn Consulting Company in Macomb was re-elected as the At-Large Director. All will serve three-year terms.

Officer's appointed for 2019 are: Tom Den Herder of Yacht Basin Marina in Holland as Chairman; Tom Ervin of Walstrom Marine in Harbor Springs as Vice Chair; and Jim Coburn of Coburn Consulting Company in Macomb as Secretary/Treasurer.

Other directors on the board who will continue to serve in 2020 include: Jim Adams, Freeway Sports Center; Pete Beauregard, Jr., Colony Marine, Rob Davis, Club Royale; Chris Lisowicz, North Shore Marina; Tim Tadsen, Toledo Beach Dockominium Assoc.

MBIA is the official, state-wide marine industry association which serves as the voice to Michigan's \$7.9 billion marine industry and the 4 million people who enjoy Michigan's nearly 1 million registered boats. The MBIA is dedicated to the advancement, protection, and promotion of boating across Michigan. MBIA produces three association-owned boat shows, the Progressive Detroit Boat Show at TCF Center, the Progressive Novi Boat Show in Novi, and the Progressive Metro Boat Show in Harrison Twp. The proceeds from these shows benefit boating in Michigan through MBIA programs and promotions. For more information about the MBIA, go to [www.mbia.org](http://www.mbia.org) or call 734.261.0123.