

Recreational Boating Safety Visitation Program (RBSVP)

The intent of the Recreational Boating Safety Visitation Program (RBSVP) program is to ultimately save lives and property by providing the marine partner with the most current boating safety information and establishing a point of contact for boaters. Potential customers contacting a partner will be interested in boating safety. The partner, in turn, can then provide their customers with the most up-to-date boating safety information, Vessel Safety Check (VSC) information and the locations of Public Education courses. The main objectives of the Recreational Boating Safety Visitation Program are the following: to establish and/or enhance working relations between the partner, the Coast Guard and the Coast Guard Auxiliary; to utilize the partner as the contact point for making the boating public more aware of State and Federal requirements for boating safety; to provide information regarding Public Education Courses, Vessel Safety Checks (VSC), Auxiliary membership, and to distribute Coast Guard and Coast Guard Auxiliary handout materials; to provide liaison between the partner and the Coast Guard.