



Privacy Policy

At the North American Maritime Ministry Association (NAMMA), we are committed to protecting the privacy of all users of our website and other web tools by creating an environment where you feel safe to share your information with us. Your personal information, and the information of all NAMMA visitors, members and partners is used to ensure that we are providing you with the most relevant information, content, and opportunities. Please read the following privacy information carefully, which outlines how and why visitors' personal information is collected and used on our website.

How we collect information

NAMMA obtains information from and about you in a variety of ways. Some information is gathered automatically when you access the site such as your IP address, browser information, and operating system. We gather and store statistics and other information about online activities of our visitors on a collective basis. For example, we track the number of people who view each page to learn which features are most popular. When you visit the NAMMA website or use its other digital tools, you may be asked to provide personal information for various reasons. They include:

- To download digital documents and products including ebooks, special reports, white papers, ecourse, audio and video products.
- To purchase products sold on the NAMMA website/blog.
- To register for a NAMMA-sponsored event.

Personal information is not gathered automatically at the site. If you wish to provide personal information, you must do so voluntarily, such as the submission of an online form or via email submission. Personal information is never given to third parties for advertising or any other reason.

Cookies are small pieces of data that are stored by a user's web browser on the hard drive of a user's computer. Cookies can remember what information a user accesses on one web page to simplify subsequent interactions with that website by the same user. Cookies are usually used to store information such as products you have selected to add to your shopping cart. They also allow you to store your password without having to constantly re-enter it. The shopping cart cannot calculate a total without using cookies to remember what you have selected to purchase so far.

Other Uses of Information

In addition to the uses outlined above, NAMMA may, from time to time, use your personal data to send you information about news and events that may be of interest to you. We value your interest in and relationship with NAMMA and are committed to protecting your information from unauthorized use. NAMMA limits the collection and use of personal information to what is necessary to administer our business and to deliver superior service to you. This may include advising you about our products or services, those of our partners, and other opportunities that we believe may interest you. To serve you better, we may combine information you give us on the NAMMA website or through other channels.

Community Programs

NAMMA cautions you to use discretion when sharing personal information in community areas on this website such as message boards, mailing lists, and directories. If you disclose personal information in such areas, you understand and agree that such personal information may be used and disclosed by others without restriction.

Data Storage

All personally identifiable information is password protected or kept in secure areas.

Other Sites

Please note that if you provide any information on your own or directly to parties who provide service to NAMMA, any organizations and/or merchants who offer discounts to our members, or any other sites you encounter on the Internet (even if these sites are branded with our branding), different rules may apply to their use or disclosure of the personal information you disclose to them. We encourage you to investigate and ask questions before disclosing information to third parties. (Note: NAMMA places advertising on some of our sites and publications that originates from outside advertisers and/or advertising agencies. In some cases, if you click on or view these ads, a cookie may be assigned by the advertiser.)

The Limits of Our Abilities

Although your privacy is very important to us, due to the existing legal regulatory and security environment, we cannot fully ensure that your private communications and other personally identifiable information will not be disclosed to third parties. Government or third parties, under certain circumstances, may intercept or access transmissions or private communications.

Security

We employ industry-standard efforts to safeguard the confidentiality of your personal identifiable information, such as firewalls and Secure Socket Layers where appropriate. However, no data transmissions over the Internet can be guaranteed to be 100% secure. When you transmit data over the Internet, you do so at your own risk. When possible other options to submit data may be available, such as regular mail and telephone.

Corrections

We will update and correct any information that is found or known to be incorrect either through our own record-keeping or as advised by NAMMA.

If you require additional information about the North American Maritime Ministry Association privacy policy, please contact Executive Director Jason Zuidema at executivedirector@namma.org.

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