

To: NMMA Engine Manufacturers and Boat Builders

From: Scott Berry, Director of Engineering Standards

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Subject: NMMA Gasoline Protection Program Official Launch

The National Marine Manufacturers Association's (NMMA) Engine Manufacturers Division (EMD) is excited to announce the new voluntary Gasoline Protection Program™ (GPP). GPP will allow boat owners and maintenance providers to easily identify gasoline additive products certified by the NMMA and intended for use in marine environments.

The Engine Manufacturers Division of the NMMA voted to move forward with the program during their meeting at IBEX in Tampa, Florida on October 1. The official launch of the Gasoline Protection Program to boat owners is targeted for June 1, 2020. The EMD worked with the Center for Quality Assurance (CQA), a quality management and licensing firm, to define the program, and CQA will administer the program on behalf of the NMMA.

What are the next steps?

- Interface with your OEM gasoline additive supplier, if applicable, to ensure testing is completed on P&A gasoline additives if you wish to include the NMMA certified logos on your product.
- Manufacturers are encouraged to include verbiage regarding the GPP in a service bulletin or other announcement to their dealership network prior to the June 1, 2020 announcement.
- Operator's guides, owner's manuals, and/or service manuals could include information regarding the GPP to better communicate the benefits and use of NMMA certified gasoline additive products.

In preparation for the consumer launch of this program, engine manufacturers and boat builders may contact Scott Berry, Director of Engineering Standards for NMMA (sberry@nmma.org), for more information. Gasoline additive manufacturers and marketers are invited to contact CQA by sending an e-mail to GPP@centerforqa.com.

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