

## **Nonprofit Organization Grants:**

Coast Guard Office of Auxiliary and Boating Safety  
Recreational Boating Safety

Federal Grant Title:	National Non-Profit Organization Grant Program
Federal Agency:	United States Coast Guard
Funding Opportunity Number:	DHS-USCG-2020-001
Type of Funding:	Cooperative Agreement
CFDA Numbers:	97.012
CFDA Descriptions:	Boating Safety Financial Assistance

Grantee: National Association of State Boating Law Administrators (NASBLA)  
Grant Number: 3320FAN112009  
Grant Title: BUI Awareness & Enforcement Campaign: Operation Dry Water  
Period of Performance: 1 year grant

Award Amount: \$225,000.00

### **Summary:**

In 2021, the Operation Dry Water (ODW) campaign will be led and coordinated by NASBLA and will result in a national crackdown on alcohol and drug-related boating under the influence and an expansive year-round public outreach and awareness campaign addressing the dangers and risks associated with boating under the influence. The campaign will take place across all regions, in every U.S. state and territory with participation from local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies. Participation will also include stakeholders that serve the boating safety public within the recreational boating safety community.

ODW addresses boating under the influence of alcohol (BUI) and drugs (BUI-D). This campaign will reduce the number of accidents, injuries, and deaths on America's waterways due to boating under the influence and assist in providing a safe, enjoyable experience for the boating public. This campaign coordinates partnerships nationally that facilitate uniformity in boating safety efforts, increase enforcement of BUI laws, and positively impacts the boating culture surrounding boating under the influence.

ODW will help unify boating enforcement efforts across all regions and increase boating safety enforcement with a targeted focus on BUI. The campaign will increase knowledge and communications with the law enforcement and the judicial community about BUI enforcement and establish partnerships to move toward unifying the relationship between boating under the influence (BUI) and driving under the influence (DUI).

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