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MARTAC and Intrepid Powerboats Announce Strategic Partnership to Support U.S. Government Unmanned Surface Vessel Program

LARGO, FL (June 24, 2026) – MARTAC, a leading developer and supplier of unmanned surface vessels (USVs) for defense and maritime security applications, today announced a strategic partnership with Intrepid Powerboats, one of America's premier builders of high-performance vessels. Through the partnership, Intrepid will manufacture advanced carbon-fiber vessels to support MARTAC's growing portfolio of unmanned maritime solutions for the U.S. government, allied nations, and commercial customers.

The collaboration combines MARTAC's proven expertise in autonomous maritime systems with Intrepid's renowned reputation for quality, innovation, craftsmanship, and performance. Together, the companies will deliver next-generation maritime platforms designed to meet the evolving operational requirements of the U.S. government.

MARTAC selected Intrepid as its manufacturing partner based on the company's longstanding commitment to excellence, engineering expertise, and reputation for integrity within the marine industry. Intrepid's advanced carbon fiber construction capabilities will provide the lightweight strength, durability, and performance required for demanding defense applications.

"At Intrepid, we've spent decades building some of the finest boats in the world, and we're honored to bring that expertise to support critical maritime missions for our nation's defense," said Terry McNew, President of Intrepid Powerboats. "This partnership with MARTAC represents an exciting opportunity to combine our world-class boatbuilding capabilities with cutting-edge autonomous technology. We are proud to contribute to programs that help strengthen the operational readiness and effectiveness of the United States Navy."

"We selected Intrepid because of their unmatched reputation for quality, precision manufacturing, and integrity," said Tony Smeraglinolo, Chief Executive Officer of MARTAC. "As demand for advanced unmanned maritime systems continues to grow, we needed a partner capable of meeting the highest standards of performance and reliability. Intrepid's expertise in carbon fiber construction and commitment to excellence make them an ideal partner as we continue to support the U.S. Navy's mission requirements."

The partnership reflects the increasing importance of autonomous maritime systems in modern naval operations and reinforces both companies' commitment to delivering innovative solutions that enhance maritime security and operational effectiveness.

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ABOUT INTREPID

Since 1983, Florida-based boat builder Intrepid Powerboats has been at the forefront of innovation, delivering powerboats that combine performance, comfort, and safety in a sleekly designed exterior. Each Intrepid powerboat is carefully crafted and customized to each customer's specifications, resulting in a customized vessel as unique as the owners themselves. At Intrepid, "Perfection is Personal." For more information, visit [IntrepidPowerboats.com](https://www.intrepidpowerboats.com).

ABOUT MARTAC

MARTAC is a global leader in Unmanned Surface Vessel (USV) solutions, delivering high-performance, modular, and operationally-proven autonomous systems to military, security, commercial, and scientific customers. Headquartered in Melbourne, Florida, MARTAC has a proven track record of thousands of hours of operation in diverse conditions. MARTAC's innovative fleet, including the MANTAS X-Class and Devil Ray Expeditionary Class platforms, sets the industry bar for USV endurance, reliability, and operational control – combining unprecedented stability, speed, and range of coverage that meet real-world mission demands.

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