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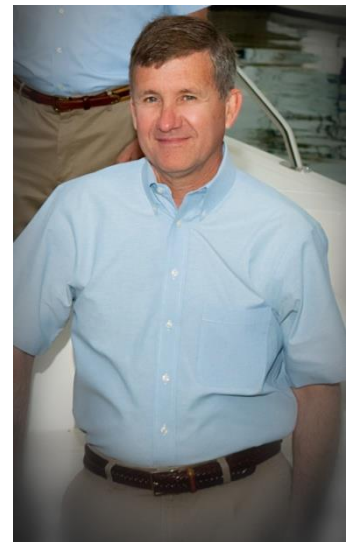
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Tom Ervin Promoted to Walstrom Marine President

Tom Ervin has been promoted to President of Walstrom Marine. Ervin joined the company as General Manager in March of 2016 for an almost year long transition period before taking on this new role. During that time, he worked closely with CEO Ward Walstrom, Jr. and former President Dave Lyle along with department heads and all employees to learn the company culture and operating practices.

Prior to joining Walstrom Marine, Ervin brought with him over 25 years of experience in the marine industry.

"Tom is among a select number of industry veterans with a background that covers all facets of the marine industry. He brings a world-view to our management team that opens up new windows in boat sales and service," says Ward Walstrom, Jr., Walstrom Marine CEO. "We look forward to what the future holds with Tom at the helm."



Tom is a native of Ohio and a graduate of The Ohio State University. He and his wife, Lisa, have made Northern Michigan their home since relocating early last year. They have been enjoying the community and the area's great outdoors.

Walstrom Marine is a second-generation, family-owned yacht sales and service company serving the boating community throughout northern Michigan. Walstrom Marine is based in Harbor Springs, Michigan, with locations in Harbor Springs, Cheboygan, and Bay Harbor. Walstrom Marine sells and services Tiara Yachts, Chris Craft, and Pursuit Boats.