



## **J/24 Class Association Request for Proposal (RFP) for 2024 OR 2025 World Championship, 2024 North American Championship & 2024 US National Championship**

The US J/24 Class Association (USJCA) is seeking proposals to host the J/24 World Championship in 2024 OR 2025, the 2024 North American Championship and 2024 US National Championship. It is expected that the host/organizer will describe in their proposal the items listed below. Any changes to the proposal items after the event has been awarded to the host/organizer must be approved by the USJCA or its designee. Selection of the Worlds venue will be determined by the IJCA. Regatta support documents should be thoroughly reviewed at: <http://www.j24class.org/rules-regulations/regatta-regulations/>. Proposals must be sent to the Class Office ([director@j24class.org](mailto:director@j24class.org)) by May 1, 2022.

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### **Proposal should include:**

- **Description of Facilities (including photos) and Support Services**
- **Proposed Dates and Schedule of Events (regatta and social)**
- **Sailing Conditions/Environment**
- **Costs of Event (regatta and social)**
- **Race Management equipment available**
- **Boat Logistics - Ability to Park, Measure, Launch and Haul Boats**
- **Travel Logistics - Accommodations and Transportation**
- **Map of Race Area**
- **Sponsorship Opportunities**
- **Availability of Charter Boats**
- **Background of Past Regattas Held at Facility**
- **Awards Received**
- **Local Attractions**

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### **Race Management**

The regatta host/organizer will use the pattern Notice of Race (NOR) and Sailing Instructions (SI) as provided by the IJCA. The Principal Race Officer (PRO) will be selected by the Class Association. The host/organizer will follow the guidelines set out in the Regatta Regulations available on the Class website. Any variation to the standards must be approved by the USJCA.

### **Event Management**

Month, days and duration of regatta shall be spelled out in the host/organizer proposal to be approved by the USJCA. The host/organizer will set out time in advance of the event for measurement and/or inspections of equipment. A final budget shall be approved by the USJCA and a post-event detail of cost shall be provided to the USJCA. The host/organizer will use approved vendors for the purpose of registration and scoring for the event. Vendor fees should be calculated as part of the registration cost. The registration fee shall be approved by the USJCA.

### **Facility**

The facility used to host this event should have:

Two or more permanent or temporary 2-ton cranes for weighing and launching boats

Parking space to stage a minimum of 50 boats for set-up and launch, and then storage of trailers

The facility to raft a minimum of 50 boats in protected harbor, rafting no more than two deep

Indoor accommodations for social events for up to 300 participants (tents may be used to supplement space)

Any questions should be directed to:

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