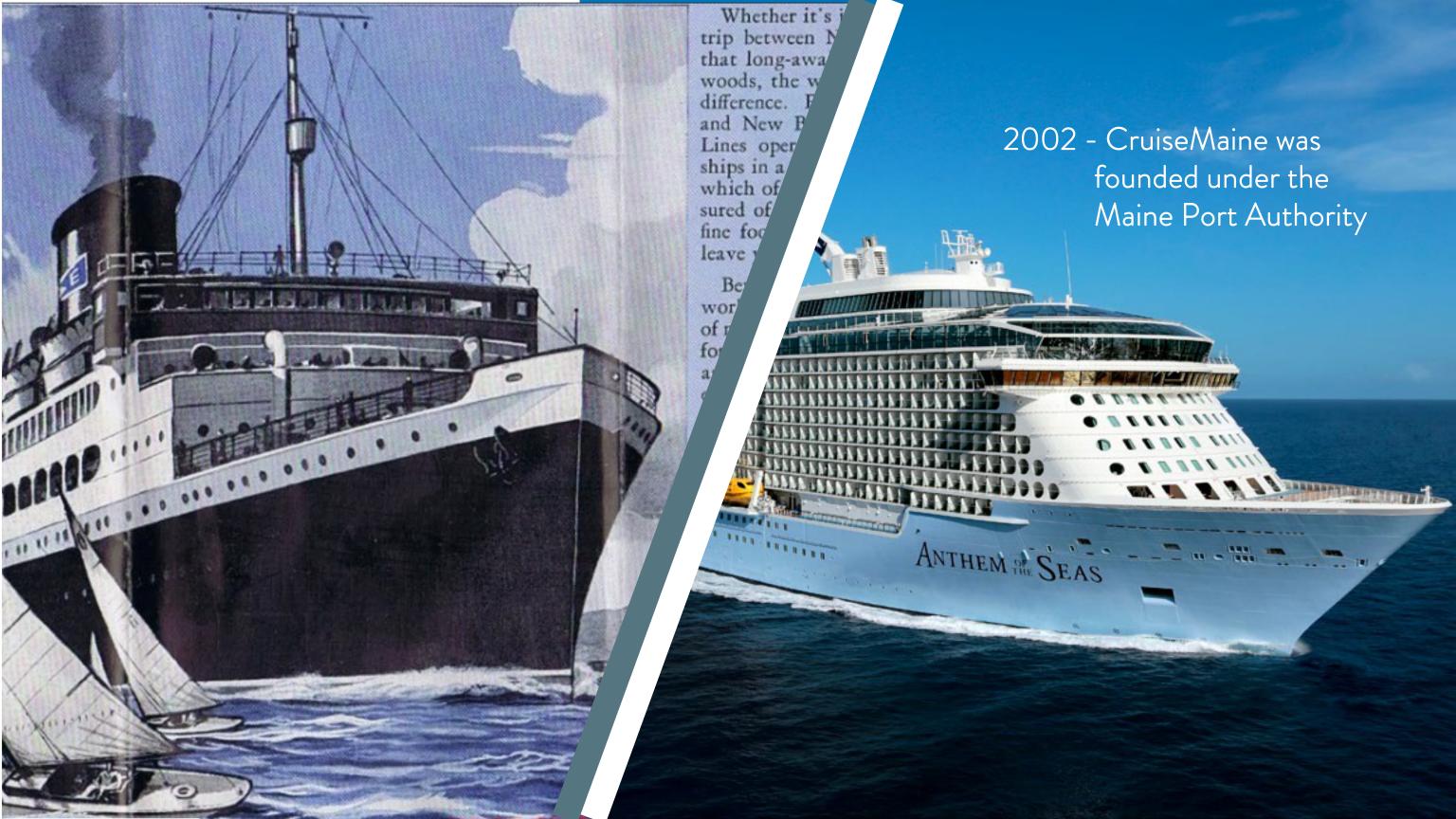




# AN UPDATE ON CRUISEMAINE

SARAH FLINK, OUTREACH MANAGER

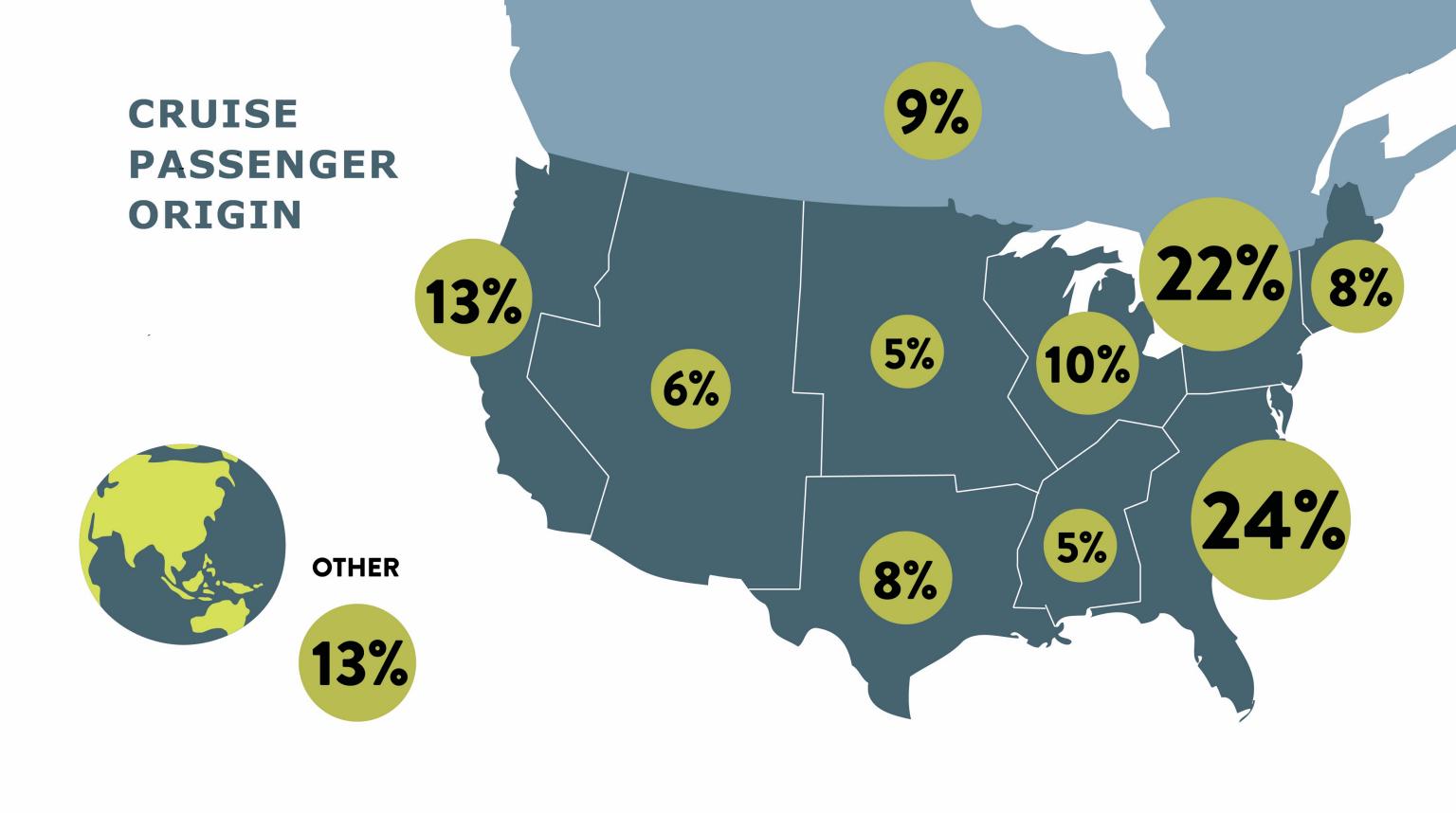




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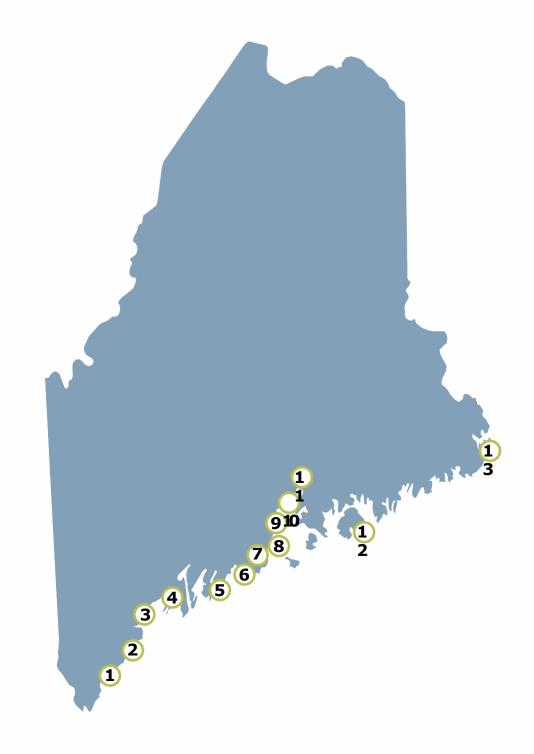
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#### 4 STATE PARTNERS













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# KEY INDUSTRY TRENDS











# THE PLAN



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## **CRUISEMAINE NEXT STEPS**

- 1. Establish an administrative structure
- 2. Hold our 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting—for members or those interested in learning more about membership



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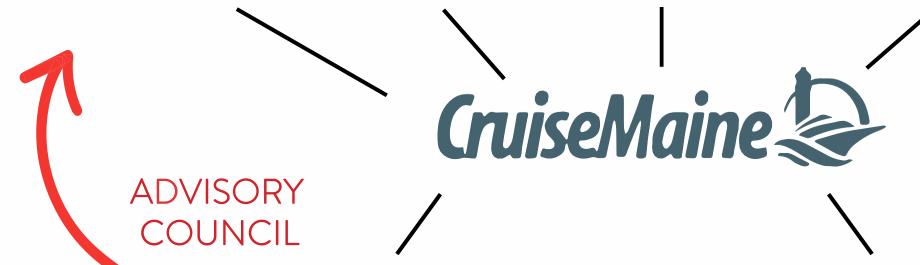
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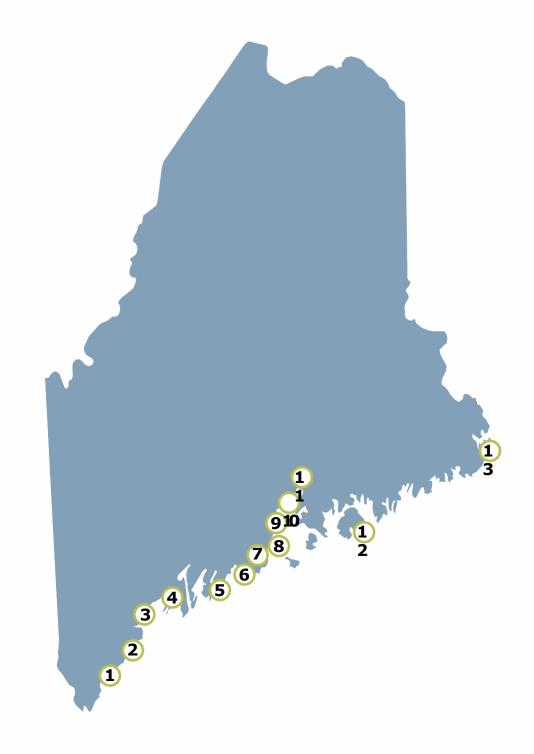
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#### **MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS**

- Guidance on operations
- Assistance with shore excursion development
- Professionally produced collateral
- Digital marketing presence
- On-call support
- Opportunity to grow your network
- · Bi-annual meetings plus regional workshops
- CruiseMaine representation at trade shows, the Symposium, and sales calls
- Reduced price to register for Seatrade and Symposium events



# WANT TO LEARN MORE?



#### **COME TO OUR FIRST MEETING**

WHO: CruiseMaine members and those interested in membership

WHEN: April 30th from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

WHERE: Midcoast Maine

## **TOPICS:**

- 1. Detailed Introduction to CruiseMaine Membership
- 2. Workshop on Operational & Regulatory Parameters for Welcoming Cruise Ships
- 3. Workshop on Developing a Shore Excursions for Cruise Passengers

#### IN THE MEANTIME...

- 1. Take a business card / Leave a business card
- 2. Come find me at tonight's opening reception at Bayside Bowl, 5-7 pm
- 3. Keep an eye on our website and Facebook page (makeover in progress!)

