



Building Access, Connecting Adventures: Highlights from Summer & Fall 2024

"BoardSafe Docks focuses on breaking down barriers to ensure everyone can access the water. It's important to us that our floating dock systems are usable by everyone, whether they need adaptive features or not. Our products offer safe and easy access for all; from fishing and paddling on the water to a closer look at nature. The message from our customers is clear, universal access to parks and waterways is everyone's wish." – Tom Warchol, Business Development & Strategy, BoardSafe Docks

As Tom Warchol emphasizes the importance of universal access, [BoardSafe's](#) work during the summer and fall of 2024 has been a testament to this mission. We have enhanced community accessibility with adaptive kayak launches, accessible fishing piers, gangways, and pedestrian bridges—helping connect people to new adventures.

Find a Kayak Launch Near You: BoardSafe is often asked about the locations of our kayak launches. Use this easy tool to find a launch site near you [BoardSafe Accessible Kayak Launch Locations](#)

Universal Access in Action - Three Featured Projects: BoardSafe's universal access products continue to add value to communities across the USA. While our website features many projects, here are three unique examples we'd like to share:



[Utica Harbor, NY](#)

In September 2024, Utica, NY, unveiled a BoardSafe adaptive kayak launch, enhancing paddlers' access to Utica Harbor and the Mohawk River, and supporting the city's waterfront revitalization efforts.

[BoardSafe Creates Paddle Access to Chattahoochee River, GA](#)

In October 2024, BoardSafe collaborated with the [Trust for Public Land](#) to install two adaptive kayak launches to enhance public access to the Chattahoochee River as part of the Chattahoochee RiverLands project.

[Northville, NY Adaptive Kayak Launch Installed on Great Sacandaga Lake](#)

In September 2024, BoardSafe installed the first adaptive kayak launch in the Adirondack Park, funded by the Northville Rotary Foundation. Complete with ADA features, this project enhances recreation on Great Sacandaga Lake.

As Boardsafe Docks Continues to Grow, We're Thrilled to Welcome New Team Members:

Madeleine Rice

Madeleine enhances our Business Development team by producing architectural drawings and renderings. These visuals help our customers envision how their products will look in their specific environments.



David Tihansky

As Project Manager, Dave works with our manufacturing team to expedite project deadlines. He coordinates the shipping and delivery of our products with customers and the installation team, ensuring smooth installations.



BoardSafe Champions Accessible Recreation at Industry Events

A key part of BoardSafe's mission is to educate stakeholders about universal access and the benefits of accessible recreation for communities. Below is a list of tradeshow and summits we've attended in 2024. If you receive our newsletter, there's a good chance we've connected at one of these events! Please let us know how we can help you find your solution to #AccessYourAdventure

- [States Organization for Boating Access Education & Training Symposium \(SOBA\)](#) August 26- 29th in Wilmington, NC.
- [Ohio River Way Summit](#)
September 11-12th, Maysville, KY.
- [American Society of Landscape Architecture \(ASLA\)](#)
October 6-9th in Washington, DC.
- [National Recreation and Parks Association Annual Conference \(NRPA\)](#)
October 8-10th, in Atlanta, GA.
- [Legacy Parks Foundation Luncheon](#)
October 18, Knoxville, TN.



[Including More Paddlers With an Accessible Kayak Launch](#)

Kayaking is a great activity that connects people to nature. Accessibility advocate, Bill Bogdan shared his inspiring experience with BoardSafe Docks, which was featured in NRPA magazine.



To learn more about how BoardSafe helps our customers improve water accessibility, visit our website at [BoardSafeDocks.com](https://boardsafedocks.com).

[YouTube](#) | [LinkedIn](#) | [Facebook](#) | [Instagram](#)

BoardSafe Docks, 604 Crisscross Rd., Fleetwood, PA 19522, USA, 610-899-0286

[Unsubscribe](#) [Manage preferences](#)

Send free email today

HubSpot