



## **2020 CYPB VINCENT J. PETRELLA CHAIRMAN'S AWARD**

**Recipient:** Alan Powell, CPYB, Owner  
Capital City Yacht Sales, Olympia, Washington

**Nominated By:** Kurt Kingman, CPYB, Broker, Past President, NYB  
NW Yachtnet, Tacoma, Washington

Our nominee has been helping, protecting and improving the yacht broker industry with his commitment as a two-term President of NYBA as well as many years on the board. He was instrumental in forming NYBA in the late 80's. He served for years on the NYBA's government affairs committee and as chairman and is still active in working with legislative issues involving the brokerage business and the marine industry.

In that role, our candidate has been a strong voice on both the State and National level promoting the marine industry and brokering legislation.

You probably know more than I do about this person's involvement and advocacy promoting the establishment of this highly respected certification for professional brokers committed to business excellence. I know he has been very committed to training and preparing brokers in their quest for CPYB certification. I also know he continues to be a strong advocate for the future of the CPYB certification program.

He was fully committed in developing the CPYB certification program volunteering many hours to ensure its success and I cannot think of a better way than this award to honor him for his commitment from the very beginning.

The Plaque reads:

*In recognition of exceptional service and support in the promotion of the profession and the CPYB program.*