

IT'S NOT A GAME... IT'S UP TO YOU TO YIELD!

On the St. Lawrence River, commercial vessels have priority.

Large commercial vessels do not have a large capacity for maneuvering. They have priority on waterways and all pleasure crafts must give them right-of-way. These larger vessels move faster than you think. Visibility from the wheelhouse of these vessels is also often limited.

To avoid collisions

- Pay attention to what is going on around you and don't forget to look behind.
- Make your intentions clear well in advance.
- Stay far enough away so that you can be properly seen.
- Obey the Collision Regulations.
- Never stop your pleasure craft in the middle of an open commercial channel.

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