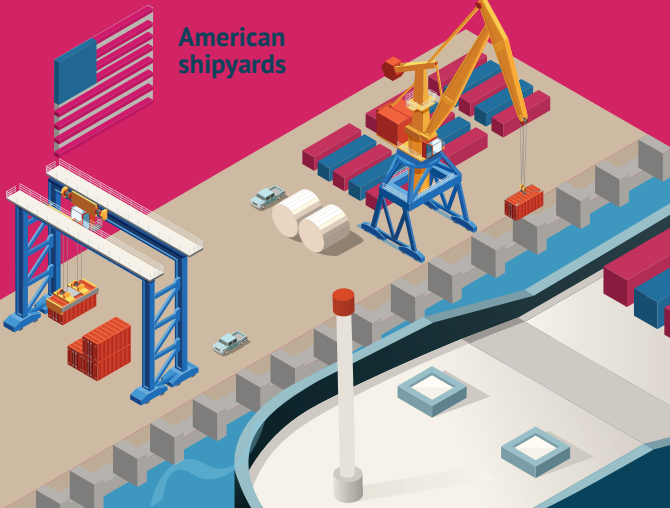


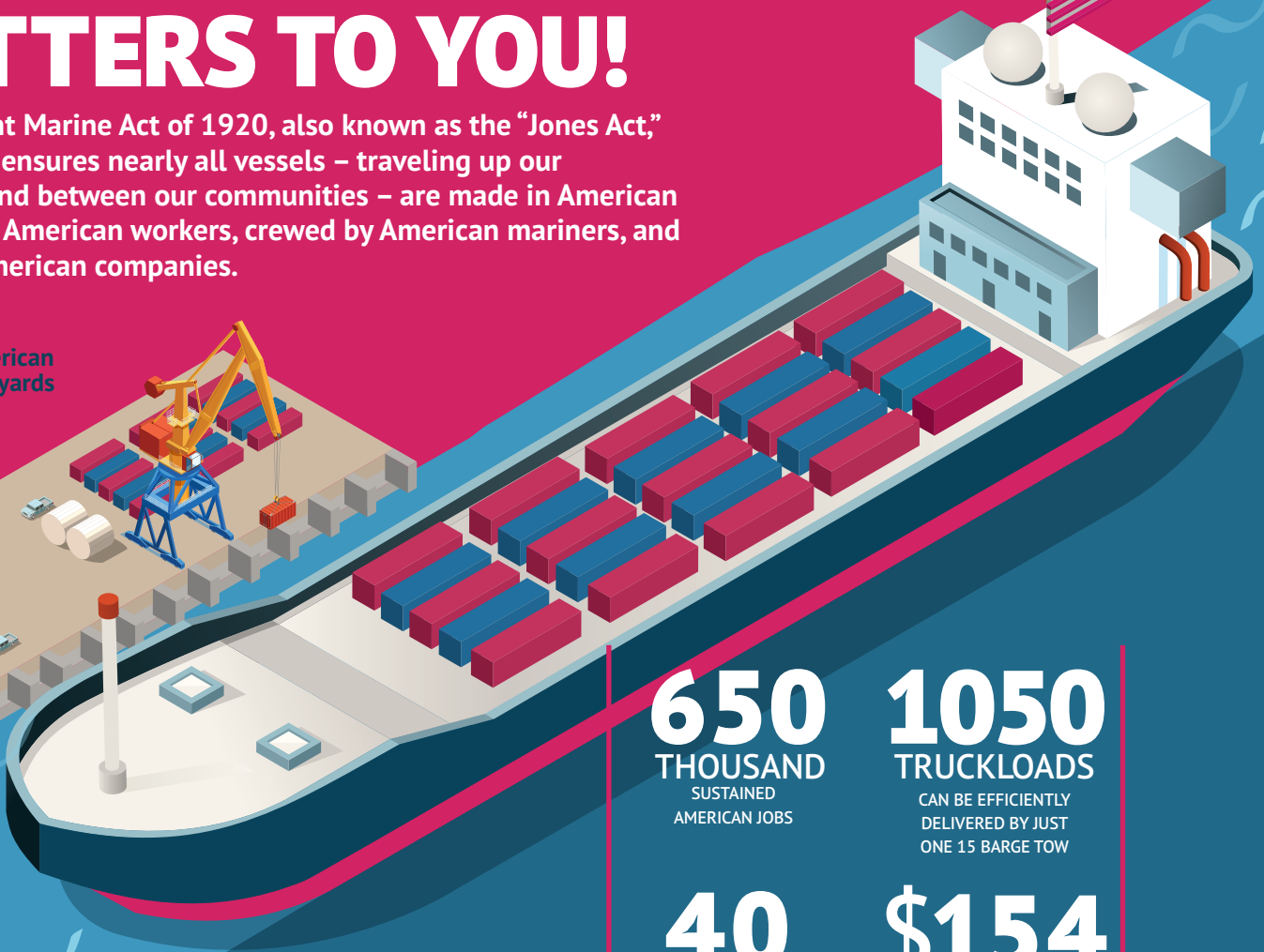
WHY THE JONES ACT MATTERS TO YOU!

The Merchant Marine Act of 1920, also known as the “Jones Act,” is a law that ensures nearly all vessels – traveling up our waterways and between our communities – are made in American shipyards by American workers, crewed by American mariners, and owned by American companies.

American shipyards



American vessels



650
THOUSAND
SUSTAINED
AMERICAN JOBS

1050
TRUCKLOADS
CAN BE EFFICIENTLY
DELIVERED BY JUST
ONE 15 BARGE TOW

40
THOUSAND
AMERICAN VESSELS
BUILT IN AMERICAN
SHIPYARDS

\$154
BILLION
IN ANNUAL
ECONOMIC OUTPUT

American maritime in our communities

- ✓ Promotes on-time and reliable delivery of goods and materials to all 50-states and territories
- ✓ Creates family-waged American jobs and career paths
- ✓ Makes our nation safer by protecting our borders and inland waterways
- ✓ Guarantees we have trained mariners for times of war and peace
- ✓ Helps to maintain an industrial shipbuilding capacity, essential for our military
- ✓ Helps make our waterways more environmentally sustainable

American crew



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