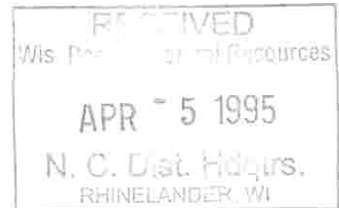


Ordinance #1-95
Towns of Boulder Junction and Presque Isle
Joint Boating Ordinances



A joint ordinance to regulate boating upon the waters of Big Lake in the Towns of Boulder Junction and Presque Isle in Vilas County, Wisconsin, and prescribing penalties for violation thereof.

The Town Boards of Boulder Junction and Presque Isle do ordain as follows:

Section I *Applicability and Enforcement*

- (a) The provisions of this ordinance shall apply jointly by the Towns of Boulder Junction and Presque Isle to the waters of Big Lake, S4, 5, 6, 31, 32, 33, T42 - 43N, R6E.
- (b) This chapter shall be enforced by any authorized law enforcement officers of the Towns of Boulder Junction and Presque Isle and any other authorized law enforcement officer.

Section II *Intent*

The intent of this ordinance is for the protection of loon nesting sites at a critical time of year, which is in the best interest and welfare of the public, while still providing the public access and use of the aquatic resource.

Section III *State Boating and Safety Laws Adopted*

State boating laws as found in ss. 30.50 to 30.71, Wisconsin Statutes, are adopted by reference.

Section IV *Definitions*

- (a) *Slow-no-wake* means that speed at which a boat moves as slowly as possible while still maintaining steering control.

Section V *Speed Restricted Areas*

- (a) *First Saturday in May to the First Saturday in August*
- (b) No person shall operate a boat faster than slow-no-wake at any time during the *first Saturday in May to the first Saturday in August* in the following locations on Big Lake:
 - (a) *Back Bay* at any point west of a line from the eastern-most point of Stone Haven Point due south to the south shore of Big Lake.
 - (b) *Papoose Bay* at any point north of a line from the Big Lake Campground public boat landing due east to the east shore of Papoose Bay of Big Lake.

Section VI *Special Events*

There shall be no organized water events, special events, or contests without

Attachment:

Big Lake Property Owners Association, Inc.
Proposed Ordinance
December 18, 1989

Proposed Revision
3/93 R Tucker
DNR.

