

TOWN OF BRADLEY ORDINANCE

SECTION 1: TITLE

An ordinance creating Chapter 10 of the "Town of Bradley General Code", regulating boating upon certain waters in the Town of Bradley.

SECTION 2: AMENDMENT

A) "The Town of Bradley General Code" Chapter 10 is created as follows:

Chapter 10: AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE BOATING UPON CERTAIN WATERS IN THE TOWN OF BRADLEY,

10.10 Applicability and Enforcement.

- A. The provision of this ordinance shall apply to certain navigable waters in Town of Bradley.
- B. This chapter may be enforced by the Town Board; or those designated by the Town Board for such purposes; the Town's employees, or agents; and by any duly authorized law enforcement officer.

10.20 Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to provide for the public's health, safety of welfare, including the public's interest in preserving the state's natural resources, as they may relate to boating and speed of operation in the Town of Bradley. In enacting this ordinance, the town board has taken into account various factors that include all of the following:

- A. The type, size, shape and depth of the body of water and any features of special environmental significance that the body of water has.
- B. The amount, type and speed of boating traffic in the body of water, and boating safety and congestion.
- C. The degree to which the boating traffic on the body of water affects other recreational uses and the public's health, safety and welfare, including the public's interest in preserving the state's natural resources.

10.30 Authorization. The town board is authorized to enact such ordinance pursuant to s. 30.77 Stats.

10.40 Definitions.

- A. "Slow-No-Wake" means the speed at which a boat moves as slowly as possible while still maintaining steerage control.
- B. The definitions contained ins. 30.50 Stats., as amended from time to time, are adopted by reference herein, as if set forth at length.

10.50.01 Controlled Area.

No person shall operate a boat faster than "slow-no-wake" in the following Waters in the Town of Bradley: The waterway which flows between Lake Mohawksin and the start of the Somo River at the north side of the railroad trestle, approximately NW 1/4,-NW 1/4 of Sec. 32, T35N - R6E.

10.60 Posting Requirements.

The Town of Bradley shall place and maintain a copy of this ordinance at all public access points on Mohawksin and Somo River, within the jurisdiction of the Town, and at the Town Hall.

10.70 Penalties.

Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall forfeit not more than \$50.00 for the first offense, and shall forfeit not more than \$100.00 upon conviction of the same offense a second or subsequent time within one year, as measured from date of violation.

10.80 Severability

The provision of this ordinance shall be deemed severable. If any provision of this ordinance or the application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance and the application if such provisions to other person and circumstances shall not be affected.

SECTION 3: This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication.

SECTION 4:

This ordinance was passed on the 13th day of August 2001.