

AN ORDINANCE GOVERNING BOAT TRAFFIC ON LAKES WITHIN THE TOWN OF OTTAWA

The Town Board of the Town of Ottawa, Waukesha County, Wisconsin does ordain as follows:

That this ordinance is hereby created for the purpose of governing boat traffic on all lakes within the Town of Ottawa:

(1) Sections 30.50 through 30.71 inclusive and Section 30.80 (1) and (2) of the Wisconsin Statutes for 1975 and as amended, recreated and repealed from time to time are hereby adopted by reference except where the provisions of this ordinance are more restrictive and in that event the provisions of this ordinance shall control.

(2) It shall be unlawful for any person to swim more than 150 feet from shore unless that person is accompanied by an escort boat.

(3) All power boats must travel in counter-clockwise direction at all times.

(4) REPEALED

(5) No boat or boats shall operate at a speed in excess of slow-no-wake under the following conditions:

(a) Before 11:00 A.M. and after 6:00 P.M.

(b) When closer than 100 feet to any bathing beach or anchored boat

(6) It shall be unlawful to water ski between rafts and shorelines.

(7) no person shall operate any boat unless that boat shall be equipped with U.S. Coast Guard personal flotation devices as required under Section NR 5.13 (Wisconsin Administrative Code).

(8) All waterskiers shall wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved life jacket, Type I, II or III, (PFD).

(9) REPEALED.

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Passed and adopted by the Town Board of Ottawa, Waukesha County, Wisconsin on the 8th day of May 1978. Posted May 9, 1978

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