

ORDINANCE 0-8-91

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO NO WAKE ZONE

Requested by Alderman Lingnofski

The Common Council of the City of Menasha does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1: Section 12-2-2(d) is created to read as follows:

It shall be unlawful for any person to operate, drive, or use a motorboat or personal watercraft at a speed in excess of slow-no-wake speed on the following waterways:

Fox River in the City of Menasha, Wisconsin, starting at Buoy "100" reference no. chart 14916 - 7th Edition March 7, 1987, Buoy "100" concrete fixed aid to Navigation Flashing Red 4 seconds 18 feet North latitude 44 degrees 50 minutes 40 seconds, West longitude 88 degrees 25 minutes 30 seconds, under and through the Racine Street Bridge, under and through the Tayco Street Bridge, under and through the Soo Line Railroad Bridge and continuing onto the Menasha Locks, North latitude 44 degrees 12 minutes 6 seconds, West longitude 88 degrees 27 minutes 35 seconds. Exception to this slow-no-wake speed limit may only be granted by the U.S. Coast Guard or Chief of Police.

SECTION 2: Section 12-2-2(e) is created to read as follows: It shall be unlawful to operate a canoe, rowboat, or boat propelled by an outboard or inboard motor on the waters located within the City with more passengers aboard than there are seats in the boat, or with more passengers aboard than is reasonably safe for the welfare and safety of such passengers.

SECTION 3: Section 12-2-2(f) is created to read as follows:

It shall be unlawful to loan or rent any canoe, rowboat, or boat propelled or capable of being propelled by an outboard or inboard motor or allow the same to leave the place where it is customarily kept with more persons aboard than there are seats in the boat, or with more passengers aboard than is reasonably safe for the welfare and safety of such passengers.

SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and publication as provided by law. Passed and approved this 21st day of May, 1991.