

TOWN OF MEEME

ORDINANCE NO. 83

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE BOATING UPON THE WATERS OF SPRING LAKE AND HORSESHOE LAKE, TOWN OF MEEME, MANITOWOC COUNTY, WISCONSIN AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

The Town Board of the Town of Meeme, Manitowoc County, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

1. PUBLIC INTEREST. It is in the public interest for the promotion of public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the Town of Meeme that the use of lakes within the Town be regulated as provided herein.
2. APPLICABILITY. The terms of this ordinance shall apply to the waters of all public lakes within the Town of Meeme, being Horseshoe Lake and Spring Lake, and each being a lake of less than fifty (50) acres in size with public access.
3. MOTORBOATS PROHIBITED; EXCEPTION.
(A) No person shall drive, operate or use a motorboat as defined in Section 30.50(2) Wisconsin Statutes, upon the waters of the lakes listed herein located in the Town of Meeme, Manitowoc County, Wisconsin, except as provided in Paragraph 3B herein.
(B) The use or operation of a boat equipped with an electric boat motor with no more than thirty-two (32) pounds of thrust shall be permitted, provided, that no person shall drive operate, or use a motorboat in excess of slow-no-wake speed.
4. PENALTIES AND DEPOSIT. Any person who shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall forfeit not more than Fifty Dollars (\$50) for the first offence and shall forfeit not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100) upon conviction of the same offence a second or subsequent time within one (1) year, together with costs of prosecution.
5. CONFLICT WITH EXISTING ORDINANCE. In the event the terms of this ordinance are in conflict with any terms of existing ordinances of the Town of Meeme, then the Town Board hereby declares that such conflict shall be resolved in favor of the terms of this ordinance and to that extent, those previously adopted ordinances are hereby repealed.
6. SEVERABILITY. In the event any portion of this ordinance is found to be illegal or unconstitutional by a court of record, then the Town Board of the Town of Meeme hereby verifies its intention to adopt said ordinance except for such portions and except for such portions found to be illegal or unconstitutional, the terms of this ordinance shall be in full force and effect.
7. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect on and after the 7TH day FEB of 1983.
POSTED FEB 16, 1983