

TOWN OF MARQUETTE GREEN LAKE COUNTY

An Ordinance to regulate water traffic upon the waters of the Fox River located in Sections 31 and 32 of the Township of Marquette, Green Lake County, Wisconsin; and prescribing penalties;

THEREFORE, The Town Board of the Town of Marquette, Wisconsin do ordain as follows:

SECTION I. INTENT.

The intent of this ordinance is to provide safe and healthful conditions for the enjoyment of aquatic recreation consistent with public rights and interest and the capability of the resource.

SECTION II. APPLICABILITY AND ENFORCEMENT.

The provisions of this ordinance shall apply to the waters of the Fox River located in Sections 31 and 32 within the jurisdiction of the Town of Marquette. The provisions of this ordinance shall be enforced by the Town Constable or any Town officer authorized by law.

SECTION III. DEFINITIONS.

"Slow-No-Wake" means that speed at which a boat moves as slowly as possible while still maintaining steering control.

SECTION IV. PROHIBITED OPERATION.

No person may operate a motorboat on the Fox River within Sections 31 and 32 of the Town of Marquette at a speed in excess of "Slow-No-Wake". The Town does further authorize the Lake Puckaway Protection and Rehabilitation District to install and maintain such marker buoys or signs designating the described area as "Slow-No-Wake". Such signs and/or buoys shall be placed with the permission of the Department of Natural Resources of the State of Wisconsin.

SECTION V. PENALTIES.

Wisconsin State boating penalties as found in 530.8(), are adopted by reference and as from time to time amended by the State of Wisconsin.

SECTIONS VI. SEVERABILITY.

The provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed severable and it is expressly declared that the Town Board would have passed the other provisions of this ordinance irrespective of whether or not one or more of the provisions may be declared invalid. If any provision of this ordinance or the application to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the provisions to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.

Passed May 3, 1990