

ORDINANCE NO. 11.165

AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE SECTION 11.165, VILLAGE ORDINANCES, TO REGULATE WATER TRAFFIC, BOATING AND WATER SPORTS UPON THE WATERS OF THE NEOSHO POND AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF, IN THE VILLAGE OF NEOSHO, DODGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN.

The Village Board of the Village of Neosho, Dodge County, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

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Section 11.165 of the Municipal Code is hereby created as follows:

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 water resource.

Applicability and Enforcement. The provisions of this ordinance shall apply to the waters of the Neosho Pond within the jurisdiction of the Village of Neosho. The provisions of this ordinance shall be enforced by the officers of the Village of Neosho Police Department.

State Boating and Water Safety Laws Adopted. The statutory provisions describing and defining regulations with respect to water traffic, boats, boating and related water activities and safety in the Wisconsin Statutes, are hereby adopted and by reference made a part of this ordinance.

Definition. "Slow-no-wake" means that speed at which a boat moves as slowly as possible while maintaining steerage control.

Restrictive Area. To protect the public health safety and welfare of the following area shall be designated as a slow-no-wake restricted area: All of the Neosho Mill Pond west of a line commencing at the point of intersection of the eastern corporate boundary of the Village of Neosho with the northern shore of the Neosho Mill Pond thence south along the eastern corporate limit of the Village of Neosho across said pond to the southern shore of the Neosho Mill Pond at the eastern most edge of the corporate limits of the Village of Neosho.

Markers. Said restrictive area shall be clearly marked by placement of regulatory markers as approved by the Department of Natural Resources.

Penalties. Any person violating any provision of this section shall incur the penalties provided in W.S.A. 30.80 including amendments thereto; such penalties shall be deemed forfeitures and not fines.

Severability. This ordinance shall be deemed severable and portions held unconstitutional, inapplicable, or otherwise incapable of enforcement shall not affect the balance of the provisions which shall be deemed to remain in full force in effect.

Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and publication as provided by law.

Passed and adopted this 10th day of December, 1984.

VILLAGE BOARD, VILLAGE OF NEOSHO
DODGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN

Stanley Wagner
Stanley Wagner, President

ATTEST:
A.J. Weber
A.J. Weber, Clerk-Treasurer