

ORDINANCE FOR THE PLACING A NO WAKE BUOY ON THE NORTHERN END OF BIG SAND LAKE

A SOLE ORDINANCE TO REGULATE BOATING UPON THE WATERS OF BIG SAND LAKE AND THE PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

The Town Board of the Town of Maple Plain do ordain as follows.

Section I. Application and enforcement.

- (a) The provisions of the Ordinance shall apply to the waters of Big Sand Lake, the northern end where it narrows.
- (b) This chapter shall be enforced by the Barron County Sheriff's Department.

Section II. Intent

The intent of this ordinance is to provide safe and healthful conditions for the enjoyment of aquatic consistent with public rights and interests, and the capability of the water resources.

Section III. State Boating and Safety Laws Adopted.

State Boating laws are found in ss. 30.50 to 30.71, of Wis. Stats., are adopted for reference.

Section IV. (a) "Slow-No-Wake" means that the speed at which a boat moves slowly as possible while still maintaining steerage control.

Section V. Hours of Operation.

No person shall operate a boat at any time faster than a slow-no-wake at all times on the said location on the North end of Big Sand Lake, in Barron County, Wisconsin. The slow-no-wake buoy a G.P.S. coordinates Latitude N. 45 36.28', Longitude W 92 07.299', North to G.P. S. coordinates Latitude N. 45 36.51', Longitude W. 92 07.30'.

Section VI. Posting Requirements.

The Town of Maple Plain shall place and maintain a copy of this Section at all public access points within the jurisdiction of the Town.

Section VII. Penalties.

Wisconsin state boating penalties are found in ss 30.80, Wis. Stats., are adopted by reference.

Section VIII. 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 provisions may be declared invalid. If any provision of this ordinance or application to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance and the application of such provisions to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.

Section IX. Effective Date.

This section will become effective upon passage and the day after publication. Passed this 12th day of October, 2000.