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TOWN OF TWO RIVERS NO WAKE ORDINANCE #963

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE WATER TRAFFIC, BOATING AND WATER SPORTS UPON THE WATERS OF THE WEST TWIN RIVER AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

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

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.

The provisions of this ordinance shall apply to the waters of the West Twin River within the jurisdiction of the Town of Two Rivers. The provisions of this ordinance shall be enforced by Manitowoc County Sheriffs Department and Department of Natural Resources.

NOW, THEREFORE, the following waters shall be posted as a NO WAKE area:

300 FEET EAST OF THE WEST TWIN RIVER PUBLIC ACCESS, CONTINUING WESTWARD TO THE DAM IN SHOTO.

FURTHER, THEREFORE, the penalty for violation of the above is stated as Wisconsin Statute 30.80.

Adopted this 8th day of July, 1996.

TOWN BOARD OF TWO RIVERS

CHAIRMAN

SUPERVISOR I

SUPERVISOR II

CLERK/TREASURER

TOWN OF TWO RIVERS CONDITION REPORT

This river is used very heavily by water skiers and jet skiers.

West of our No Wake Zone are many homes, plus the river has two dams in Shoto. Therefore the river becomes very shallow and the damage to the shores is deemed to be intolerable.

The boats are seldomly a problem. However the jet skis with the shallow draft come too far up the river and create most of the problems.

The area close to the dams is a good fishing area, as it is shallow, thus many fisherman wade in the river.

