

ORDINANCE FOR SLOW-NO-WAKE AREA

A SOLE ORDINANCE TO REGULATE BOATING UPON THE WATERS OF WILSON CREEK FLOWAGE AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.

The Elk Town Board of the County of Price do ordain as follows:

Section I. Applicability and Enforcement

- (a) The provisions of this Ordinance shall apply to the waters of Wilson Creek Flowage.
- (b) This chapter shall be enforced by the officers of the Town of Elk.

Section II. Intent

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

Section III. Definitions

State boating laws as found in ss. 30.50 to 30.71, Wis Stats., are adopted by reference.

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Section IV. Definitions

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

Section V. Controlled Area

No person shall operate a boat faster than slow-no-wake in the waters of Wilson Creek Flowage beginning with buoy number 1, 50 yards north of Birch Island Cabin #3, buoy number 2, 35 yards north of Birch Island Cabin #2, and buoy number 3, 40 yards northwest of Birch Island Cabin #1.

Section VI. Posting Requirements

The Town of Elk shall place and maintain a synopsis of this ordinance at all public access points within the jurisdiction of the Town of Elk pursuant to the requirement of NR 5.15 Wis. Admin. Code.

