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SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 16-025

RELATING TO USE INTENSITY CLASSIFICATIONS FOR SPECIFIED LAKES; AMENDING SCC 12.08.030 ALLOWING LAKESHORE PROPERTY ASSOCIATIONS AT CERTAIN LAKES USE OF INTERNAL COMBUSTION MOTORS ON LAKES WHERE INTERNAL COMBUSTION MOTORS ARE OTHERWISE PROHIBITED, FOR THE PURPOSE OF NOXIOUS AQUATIC WEED REMOVAL ONLY

WHEREAS, Snohomish County Code (SCC) section 12.08.030 prohibits the use of internal combustion engines on certain lakes where inadequate flow or other factors aggravate pollution from engine discharges; and

WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council ("County Council") desires to amend SCC 12.08.030 to allow lakeshore property associations to use internal combustion motors on certain lakes, where internal combustion motors are otherwise prohibited, for the purpose of noxious aquatic weed removal only; and

WHEREAS, the County Council held a public hearing on June 1, 2016, to solicit comments from the public and to consider whether to adopt the amendment to SCC 12.08.030 contained herein; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED:

Section 1. Snohomish County Code Section 12.08.030, last amended by Ordinance No. 12-043 on July 11, 2012, is amended to read:

12.08.030 Motorboats – Internal combustion motors prohibited.

Due to the inadequate flow or other factors where pollution from motor discharge is aggravated by internal combustion motor discharge, or the pristine character of upland lakes over 1,500 feet in elevation in danger of being seriously damaged, or the small size (under 45 acres), or shallow depth, or a configuration rendering the use of internal combustion motor-powered watercraft hazardous, the propulsion of a motorboat in whole or in part by an internal combustion motor is unlawful upon the following lakes:

Lake	Acreage	Location
Spada Lake	1527.0	29 29 09
Lake Chaplain	443.7	06 28 08
Blanca Lake	179.0	01 28 11

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Lake	Acreage	Location
Isabel Lake	176.0	36 28 09
Lake Ballinger	103.2	32 27 04
Lake Bosworth	95.4	36 30 06
Storm Lake	78.0	01 & 02 28 06 and 06 & 07 28 07
Big Twin Lake (NE of Index)	68.8	34 29 11
Goat Lake	64.0	11 29 11
Copper Lake	60.8	05 29 10
Blackmans Lake	60	06 & 07 28 06
Martha Lake (south county)	59.3	01 27 04
Lake Martha (Warm Beach area)	58.4	18 31 04
Big Greider Lake	58.4	36 29 09
Wallace Lake	55.3	20 28 09
Serene Lake (near Index)	53.0	31 27 10
Byrne Lake	51.2	01 30 12
Boardman Lake	49.3	06 29 09
Panther Lake	46.7	02 28 06
Lake Twenty-Two	44.1	27 30 08
Serene Lake (South County)	42.3	34 28 04
Crystal Lake	39.1	36 27 05
Sunday Lake	38.7	26 32 04

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Lake	Acreage	Location
Sunset Lake	38.4	21 27 11
Fontal Lake	37.2	22 27 07
Silver Lake (East County)	36.9	28 29 11
Crabapple Lake	36.3	34 31 04
Hanson Slough (Snohomish River)	35.0	24 28 05
Upper Twin Lake (USN Reservation)	33.9	07 31 07
Cochran Lake	33.6	16 28 07
Pear Lake	33.0	32 28 13
Lower Twin Lake (USN Reservation)	31.7	07 31 07
Lake Armstrong	30.7	26 32 05
Riley Lake	30.0	19 32 07
Janus Lake	29.0	14 27 13
Tomtit Lake	27.9	21 27 08
Dagger Lake	27.7	21 27 08
Helena Lake	27.5	31 31 10
Lake Ketchum	27.4	06 & 07 32 04
Howard Lake	27.1	20 31 04
Stickney Lake (South County)	25.7	35 28 04

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Lake	Acreage	Location
East Boardman Lake	24.7	09 29 09
Box Mtn. Lakes (Lower)	24.6	35 32 12
Echo Lake (No. of Sultan)	24.6	21 29 08
Twin Lakes (Lower-near Index)	24.5	03 28 11
Little Lake	23.4	26 32 06
Kelcema Lake	23.2	01 30 09
Chain Lake	22.8	24 28 06
Peek-a-Boo Lake	22.4	35 31 10
Blue Lake	22.0	24 29 13 and 19 & 30 29 14
Boulder Lake	21.7	05 28 10
Indigo Lake	21.7	31 32 12
Canyon Lake	21.3	21 32 15
Unnamed Lake (Milk Lake-1g)	21.1	01 31 12
Crystal Lake	20.8	06 31 12
Rivord Lake	20.8	36 32 12
Wagner Lake	20.6	29 28 07
Woods Lake	20.5	12 28 07
Weallup Lake	20.4	04 30 04
Bryant Lake	20.2	27 32 05
Hughes Lake	20.2	27 29 07

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Lake	Acreage	Location
Kellogg Lake	20.2	22 28 08
Purdy Creek	20.0	15 29 07
Ponds (No.) Ruggs Lake	11.0	28 05 29
Lake Connor	9.0	09 29 06

With approval of the director of public works or his/her designee, lakeshore property associations may use internal combustion motors for the sole purpose of noxious aquatic weed removal activities on the following lakes:

<u>Lake</u>	<u>Location</u>
<u>Sunday Lake</u>	<u>26 32 04</u>

Noxious aquatic weed removal activities allowed under this section shall be targeted at aquatic plants included on the state noxious weed list in chapter 16-750 WAC and shall be limited to the extent practicable to avoid significantly impacting lake water quality, natural vegetation, and other lakeshore property. The maximum speed of any motorboat used for noxious aquatic weed removal activities shall be eight miles per hour. A lakeshore property association is responsible for complying with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations including permit requirements applicable to noxious aquatic weed removal activities. A lakeshore property association must apply each calendar year to the director of public works for approval of the use of internal combustion motors for noxious aquatic weed removal activities.

City, County, State or other government agencies may use internal combustion motors on lakes where internal combustion motors are otherwise prohibited, for the purpose of search and rescue, law enforcement, or rehabilitation.

PASSED this 1st day of June, 2016.

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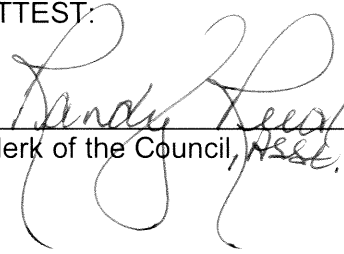


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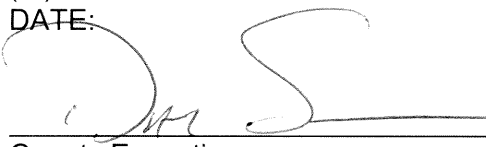
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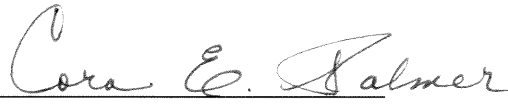
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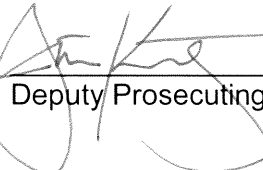
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