

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-03

LAUDERDALE LAKES LAKE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
WALWORTH COUNTY, WISCONSIN

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE LAUDERDALE LAKES LAKE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT DO HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

**Resolution for
RECOMMENDATION TO THE TOWN OF LA GRANGE TO AMEND THE CURRENT ORDINANCE TO REGULATE
WATER TRAFFIC TO RESTRICT THE USE OF "WATER JET PROPULSION DEVICES"**


WHEREAS, Lauderdale Lakes Lake Management District is authorized to operate a water safety patrol pursuant to the provisions of Wisconsin Statute Section 33.22 (Wisconsin Statutes of 2007-2008 and as may be amended from time to time), and;

WHEREAS the Town of LaGrange has entered into an agreement with the Lake District to allow the Lake District's Water Safety Patrol to enforce the pertinent laws, statutes and ordinances;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Lauderdale Lakes Lake Management District Board HEREBY RECOMMENDS to the Town of LaGrange that Ordinance No. 2008-02 "An Ordinance to Regulate Water Traffic, Boating and Water Sports Upon the Waters of Lauderdale Lakes, Walworth County, Wisconsin" be amended, in the interest of safety, to prohibit the use of airborne "water jet propulsion devices" which include, but are not limited to, jet blades, hoverboards, jetpacks, flyboards and jet boards. Exhibit 1 contains suggested language which may be used by the Town of LaGrange to frame such amendment in a manner to encompass current and future similar devices.

Adopted this 10th day of June, 2016

By a vote of: 4 in favor 0 against 0 abstain

CERTIFIED BY:  Chairman

Scott J. Mason

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EXHIBIT 1

Ordinance No. 2008-02: An Ordinance to Regulate Water Traffic, Boating and Water Sports upon the Waters of Lauderdale Lakes, Walworth County, Wisconsin

1. Rename Section IX. from "Water Skiing" to "Water Skiing and Other Water Sports".

2. Insert the following new Section IX. H.:

H. Airborne Devices Prohibited. No person shall operate a boat or other motorized watercraft having in tow a person on water skis, tube, aquaplane, or engaged in similar activity, or tow, attach or connect any device using or equipped with any airborne devices (including, but not limited to, jet blades, hoverboards, jetpacks, flyboards and jet boards) designed to lift such skier, aquaplaner, or person engaged in a similar activity, or such device above the surface of the water for a sustained period of time.

3. Reletter current Section IX.H. to Section IX.I.

4. Add the following to the list of exemptions listed in the new Section IX.I.:

Paragraph (h) (Airborne devices prohibited) at designated times and places for which notice was given.