

DEXTER TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE NUMBER 3-A

BOATING CONTROL, BIG SILVER LAKE, WASHTENAW/LIVINGSTON COUNTIES

ADOPTED: JUNE 1, 1965

EFFECTIVE: JULY 15, 1965

AN ORDINANCE, TO SECURE THE SAFETY AND GENERAL WELFARE OF THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF BIG SILVER LAKE, WASHTENAW AND LIVINGSTON COUNTIES, BY THE REGULATION AND OPERATION OF MOTOR DRIVEN BOATS.

THE TOWNSHIP OF DEXTER ORDAINS:

The Township of Dexter, Washtenaw County. This Ordinance shall be known and cited as Dexter Township Boating Control Ordinance, Big Silver Lake, Dexter and Putnam Townships, passed by both Boards respectively.

SECTION I

1. "On the waters of Big Silver Lake, Township of Dexter, County of Washtenaw/Township of Putnam, County of Livingston, State of Michigan, no operator of any motorboat shall, during the period from 6:30 P.M. to 10:00 A.M.. of the following day
 - A. operate such motorboat at high speed, or
 - B. have in tow or shall otherwise assist in the propulsion of a person on water skis, water sled, surfboard or other similar contrivance.

"On the waters of Big Silver Lake, Township of Dexter, Washtenaw/Township of Putnam, County of Livingston, State of Michigan, persons operating vessels shall maintain a distance of 200 feet from the shoreline and a distance of 100 feet from any raft, buoyed or occupied bathing area, or vessel moored or at anchor, except when proceeding at a 'slow-no wake' speed and except when engaged in picking up or dropping off water skiers, so long as such operation is otherwise conducted with due regard to the safety of persons and property and in a line perpendicular to the shoreline and in accordance with the laws of this State."

"Violations of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$100.00 for such offense or imprisonment in the County jail for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days, or both said fine and imprisonment."

Township Clerk