

CITY OF SAMMAMISH

WASHINGTON

AMENDED BY : 02003-124 ORDINANCE NO. 099-31

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SAMMAMISH,
WASHINGTON, ADOPTING BY REFERENCE CERTAIN
SECTIONS OF KING COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 12.44,
RELATING TO BOATING REGULATIONS**

WHEREAS, the Sammamish City Council finds that an ordinance regulating boating activities within the City limits is in the best interest of the public health, safety, and welfare;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAMMAMISH, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Boating Regulations. The following sections of the King County Code, including all future amendments thereto, are hereby adopted by reference:

KCC:

12.44.010	Authorization.
12.44.020	Definitions.
12.44.030	Interpretation and application of regulations.
12.44.035	Operation of personal watercraft.
12.44.040	Negligent operation.
12.44.050	Reckless operation.
12.44.060	Required distance from power craft to swimmers and row boats.
12.44.070	Speed limit specified - Lakes - Exception.
12.44.080	Speed limit specified - Rivers - Exception.
12.44.090	Speed regulations within one hundred yards of shore on Lake Washington and Lake Sammamish.
12.44.100	Interference with navigation.
12.44.110	Sunken vessels.
12.44.120	Floating objects.
12.44.130	Intoxication.
12.44.140	Incapacity of operator.
12.44.150	Accidents.
12.44.160	Accident reports.
12.44.170	Accident reports confidential, inadmissible as evidence.
12.44.180	Overloading.
12.44.190	Testing courses.
12.44.200	Restricted areas.
12.44.210	Swimming.
12.44.220	Skin diving.

12.44.230(B)(F)	Water skiing.
12.44.240	Beaver Lake restrictions.
12.44.350	Whistles and lights.
12.44.360	Equipment and numbering.
12.44.370	Life preservers and running lights.
12.44.380	Races and testing.
12.44.390	Aircraft on the water.
12.44.400	Rules of the road.
12.44.410	Propellers.
12.44.420	Unsafe piers.
12.44.430	Safety devices.
12.44.440	Pier barriers.
12.44.450	Roadway barriers.
12.44.460	Drifting debris.
12.44.470	Oil.
12.44.480	Nuisances.
12.44.490	Public health.
12.44.500	Boat rental records.
12.44.510	Liability for damages.
12.44.520	Exemption to authorized emergency vessels and watercraft.
12.44.530	Aiding and abetting violations.
12.44.540	Directing traffic, emergency powers.
12.44.560	Appeal of denial for license, permit or authority.
12.44.570	Penalty.
12.44.580	Preservation of actions.
12.44.590	Severability.
12.44.710	Authority of officers to board boats.
12.44.720	Interlocal cooperation.
12.44.730	Enforcement.

Section 2. Severability. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, or should any portion of this Ordinance be pre-empted by state or federal law or regulation, such decision or pre-emption shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance or its application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after the date of publication.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF ON THE 8th DAY OF September, 1999.

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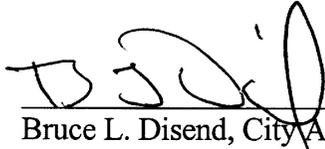
Mayor Phil Dyer

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:



Ruth Muller, Interim City Clerk

Approved as to form:



Bruce L. Disend, City Attorney

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