ORDINANCE NO. 16

FORD RIVER TOWNSHIP

An Ordinance to regulate the speed of vessels and to provide for the safe use of the waters in Ford River Township; enacted under the authority of Act 303, Public Acts of 1967 (M.S.A. 18.1287 (17)), being identical to State Administrative Rules filed in the Office of the Secretary of State.

THE TOWNSHIP OF FORD RIVER ORDAINS:

SECTION I

All words and phrases used in this Ordinance shall be construed and have the same meanings as those words and phrases defined in Act 303, P.A. 1967, M.S.A. 18.1287.(8).

SECTION II

On the waters of the Ford River, Sections 15, 16 and 21, Town 38 North, Range 23 West, Ford River Township, Delta County, from the West line of the Southeast ½ of the Northwest ½, Section 15, Town 38 North, Range 23 West, downstream and 300 feet in any direction from the mouth of the river in Green Bay, an operator of a vessel shall not exceed a slow - no wake speed, which means a very slow speed whereby the wake or wash created by the vessel would be minimal.

SECTION III

All other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION IV

Violations of this Ordinance are a misdemeanor and may be punished by a fine not to exceed One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) together with costs of prosecution or imprisonment in the County Jail or such other place of detention as the Court may prescribe, for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days, or said fine, costs of prosecution, and imprisonment, at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION V

This Ordinance and the various parts, sections, subsections, provisions, sentences and clauses are severable. If any part of this Ordinance is found to be unconstitutional or invalid it is declared the remainder of this Ordinance shall not be affected hereby.

HANSLEY, NEIMAN, 'ETERSON & BEAUCHAMP ATTORNEYS AT LAW 120 NORTH BIXTH STREET ESCANABA, MICH.

SECTION VI

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This Ordinance shall take effect 30 days after its publication in the Escanaba Daily Press.

We, the undersigned Supervisor and Clerk of the Township of Ford River, do hereby certify that the above Ordinance was passed by the Ford River Township Board on the 9th day of December, 1970, and that it was published in the Escanaba Daily Press on the 16th day of April, 1973.

Jerome Stannard, Supervisor

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Clarence Nordquist, Clerk