

ORDINANCE NO. 75-6

BOAT REGULATORY ORDINANCE

SECTION 1. All boats being operated in the navigable waters of Hernando County, Florida, shall be operated in a safe manner. No persons shall operate a boat in a dangerous or reckless manner so as to endanger the safety of any person or any person's property.

SECTION 2. No boats shall be operated at such a speed so as to cause a wake of such magnitude which will endanger the safety of any swimmer or diver or which will endanger any other boat, whether anchored, secured to a dock, or underway. No boats shall be operated at such a speed so as to cause a wake of such magnitude which will cause danger to any dock, or any other public or private property, or cause appreciable erosion to the banks of any navigable waterway.

SECTION 3. A violation of this Ordinance shall constitute a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a fine up to Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or by imprisonment in the County Jail not to exceed sixty (60) days, or both.

SECTION 4. If any Section or provision of this Ordinance shall be held by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining Sections or provisions of this Ordinance not so declared to be invalid or unconstitutional shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

ADOPTED in Regular Session, this 20th day of May, 1975.

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