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ORDINANCE # 19A

An Ordinance to limit the maximum speed upon the waters of Balsam Lake, located in the County of Polk, State of Wisconsin, pursuant to Section 30.77 of the Wisconsin Statutes by the Village and Townships hereinafter identified.

The Village of Balsam Lake and the Townships of Balsam Lake, Milltown, Georgetown, and Apple River, all being riparian to the water previously identified as Balsam Lake do hereby ordain as follows:

No person shall drive or operate a motor powered boat or sports craft upon the waters of Balsam Lake at a speed in excess of 50 miles per hour, excepting therefrom all areas of the lake protected by the "Slow No Wake" Ordinance, or other applicable more restrictive laws. This Ordinance likewise has no application to the landing and take-off of aircraft.

Section 1. Intent The intent of this Ordinance is to provide safe and healthful conditions for the enjoyment of aquatic recreation consistent with public rights and interest and the capability of the water resource.

Section 2. Notification Notification of this Ordinance shall be by posting an exact copy of the same at all public boat launching sites.

Section 3. Enforcement The provisions of this Ordinance shall be enforced by the officers of the Water Safety Patrol and the Department of Natural Resources.

Section 4. Penalties (ss 30.80) Any person in violation of this Ordinance shall forfeit those amounts as outlined in Section 30.80 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

Section 5. Wisconsin Boating and Safety Laws Adopted The State of Wisconsin Boating and Safety Laws as found in ss 30.50 to 30.71 are adopted and made a part hereof by reference.

Section 6. Effective Date This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and posting as provided by law.

This Ordinance is hereby enacted by the municipalities having jurisdiction:

1. VILLAGE OF BALSAM LAKE

By _____

Attested _____ Clerk

Dated this _____ day of _____, 1989

2. TOWNSHIP OF BALSAM LAKE

By _____

Attested _____ Clerk

Dated this _____ day of _____, 1989

3. TOWNSHIP OF MILLTOWN

By Bruce L. Christensen, Chairman

Attested [Signature] Clerk

Dated this 10th day of Apr. 1, 1989

4. TOWNSHIP OF GEORGETOWN

By _____

Attested _____ Clerk

Dated this _____ day of _____, 1989

5. TOWNSHIP OF APPLE RIVER

By _____

Attested _____ Clerk

Dated this _____ day of _____, 1989