

ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE CALENDAR NO: 5923

ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO: _____

COUNCIL SPONSOR: LORINO

PROVIDED BY: COUNCIL ATTORNEYS

INTRODUCED BY: MR. BELLISARIO

SECONDED BY: MR. TANNER

ON THE 4 DAY OF JANUARY , 2018

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE PARISH CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 28 OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS, ARTICLE III WATERWAYS, DIVISION 2 WATERCRAFT SPEED LIMITS, SECTION 28-121(A)(1) OPERATION; SPECIAL SPEED LIMITS; DEFINITIONS, UNLAWFUL OPERATION, TCHEFUNCTE RIVER AREA TO ESTABLISH A DEAD SLOW, NO WAKE ZONE ON A PORTION OF THE TCHEFUNCTE RIVER (WARD 1, DISTRICT 4)

WHEREAS, the wave action of passing vessels is creating a safety issue and damaging the wharf of the dock at Fairview-Riverside State Park bordering the Tchefuncte River; and

WHEREAS, in the best interest of public safety, health and general welfare, it is deemed necessary to establish a "No Wake" zone for a portion of the Tchefuncte River bordering Fairview-Riverside State Park, being an area three hundred (300) feet before the end of the state park's dock on each end.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY ORDAINS: that it amends the Parish Code of Ordinances, Chapter 28 Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions, Article III Waterways, Division 2 Watercraft Speed Limits, Section 28-121(a)(1) Operation; special speed limits; definitions, Unlawful operation, Tchefuncte River area to establish a "Dead Slow, No Wake" zone on a portion of the Tchefuncte River, adding subsection (i) to read as follows:

(i) A portion of the Tchefuncte River beginning three hundred (300) feet before the end of each side of the dock at Fairview-Riverside State Park.

REPEAL: All ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SEVERABILITY: If any provision of this Ordinance shall be held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions herein which can be given effect without the invalid provision and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall become effective fifteen (15) days after adoption.

MOVED FOR ADOPTION BY: _____ SECONDED BY: _____

WHEREUPON THIS ORDINANCE WAS SUBMITTED TO A VOTE AND RESULTED IN THE FOLLOWING:

YEAS: _____

NAYS: _____

ABSTAIN: _____

ABSENT: _____

THIS ORDINANCE WAS DECLARED DULY ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL ON THE 1 DAY OF FEBRUARY , 2018 ; AND BECOMES ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO _____.

S. MICHELE BLANCHARD, COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

THERESA L. FORD, COUNCIL CLERK

PATRICIA P. BRISTER, PARISH PRESIDENT

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