

**TITLE 12. PARKS AND NAVIGABLE WATERS**

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**SECTION 12.1.02 LANDING PARKING LOT FEES**

**(1)** Authority and Purpose. Reference is hereby made to the Village of Lake Hallie Code of Ordinances, Title 7, adopting and incorporating by reference certain Wisconsin Statutes describing and defining regulations with respect to motor vehicles and traffic. Specifically, Sec. 346.55(4) Wis. Stat. allows the Village of Lake Hallie to limit, restrict and prohibit parking on public property. The purpose of this section is to protect the public safety and welfare by regulating parking and providing funds for the maintenance and upkeep of the parking lot proximate to the boat landing in the Village of Lake Hallie.

**(2)** Application. The provisions of this section shall apply to the Lake Hallie Parking Lot in Sections 26 and 27, Town 28N, Range 9W, Village of Lake Hallie, Chippewa County, Wisconsin.

**(3)** Fees. Parking fees and season passes shall be as specified in Section 1.4.06. of the Village of Lake Hallie Code of Ordinances. Day or Season Passes shall be displayed on the dashboard of parked vehicles.

**(4)** Posting. The provisions herein will be posted at the Parking Lot.

**(5)** Enforcement Authority. This section shall be enforced by the Police Department.

**(6)** Penalties.

**(a)** Citation. Police officers, or otherwise authorized employee, shall have authority to issue parking citations as allowed by Sec. 345.28 Wis. Stat. allowing direct mail or personal payment to the Clerk/Treasurer within five days of the issuance of the citation in lieu of a court appearance. The citation shall specify the forfeiture imposed hereunder as may be determined by the Village Board.

**(b)** A police officer, or otherwise authorized employee, may issue a citation for violation of Sec. 346.55 Wis. Stats. The penalty

shall be a forfeiture as specified in Section 1.4.02. of the Village of Lake Hallie Code.

**(c)** If a police officer or other authorized employee finds a vehicle in violation of this section, or in violation of Secs. 342, 346 or 349 Wis. Stats., that individual may authorize the vehicle to be removed. Any costs or expenses incurred in connection with towing or storing a vehicle shall be paid by the operator or owner of the vehicle. In authorizing the removal of an offending vehicle, the police officer or employee may consider, without limitation:

1. Whether the vehicle obstructs the roadway or impedes traffic or use of other public facilities.
2. Whether the vehicle is a present or potential hindrance to emergency vehicles or snow removal equipment.
3. The length of time the vehicle has remained stationary and the number of prior citations issued to that vehicle.

*(Formerly Hallie Ordinance No. 99-02 "Amending Ordinance #101 Regulating Vehicle Traffic Upon the Streets, Highways and Right-of-Ways of the Town of Hallie, Chippewa County, Wisconsin" adopted August 2, 1999)*

## **SECTION 12.1.06 LAKE HALLIE SLOW NO WAKE RESTRICTION**

**(1)** Authority and Purpose. This section is adopted pursuant to Sec. 30.77 Wis. Stat. allowing the Village of Lake Hallie to restrict the use and operation of the watercraft within the Village limits. The purpose of this section is to protect the public safety, welfare and the natural resources in the Village of Lake Hallie.

**(2)** Definitions.

**(a)** "Motorboat" means any boat or watercraft equipped with propulsion machinery, whether or not the machinery is the principal source of propulsion.

**(b)** "Slow-no-wake" means that speed at which a boat moves as slowly as possible while still maintaining steerage control.

**(3)** Application. The provisions of this section shall apply to Lake Hallie located in Section 26 and 27, Town 28N, Range 9W, Village of Lake Hallie, Chippewa County, Wisconsin.

- (4)** Restriction. Motorboats may not be operated in excess of slow-no-wake speed on Lake Hallie.
- (5)** Posting. The provisions herein will be posted at all public access points within the Village and shall also be filed with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.
- (6)** Enforcement Authority. This section shall be enforced by law enforcement officers of the Village of Lake Hallie, Chippewa County or the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.
- (7)** Penalties. Any person who violates any provision of this section shall be subject to a forfeiture as specified in Section 1.4.02. of the Village of Lake Hallie Code.
- (8)** Severability and Conflict. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this section is for reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions.

*(Formerly Hallie Ordinance #138 Lake Hallie Slow No Wake Ordinance” of September 21, 1998, not adopted)*

**SECTION 12.3.02 PARK REGULATIONS**

- (1)** Hours.

  - (a)** Village of Lake Hallie parks are open to the public between the hours of 6:00 am and 11:00 pm daily.
  - (b)** Persons actively engaged in fishing or the launching/retrieval of boats from waterways may be on park property for these two activities during closed hours. The park hours may be modified for certain activities as approved by the Village Board.
- (2)** General Regulations.

  - (a)** Camping is prohibited, except as authorized by the Village Board.
  - (b)** Parking is permitted in designated areas only.
  - (c)** Use of motor vehicles is prohibited except in parking areas and established roadways. Operating a motor vehicle on or along the bicycle trail is prohibited. The use of a vehicle on park property without permission of the Village Board which is not currently registered with the Department

of Transportation is prohibited. This includes vehicles commonly referred to as ATVs, UTVs, golf carts, mini-bikes and snowmobiles.

**(d)** Reservation of facilities is required through the Clerk/Treasurer.

**(e)** Outdoor burning is prohibited except in designated cooking grills that have been approved by Park Staff. Any other burning must be authorized by the Village Board.

**(f)** It shall be unlawful to have within a posted park any pet or animal, leashed or unleashed, including but not limited to the following: dogs, cats, birds, frogs, snakes, or domesticated game animals.

**EXCEPTIONS:**

1. Service animal, search and rescue animals, "K-9" dogs utilized by law enforcement agencies, or animals used and maintained during the course of a festival for a concession or ride.

2. Dogs are allowed at the boat launches and on the Bicycle Trail while under control of their owners or handlers. They may not disturb or interfere with other users of the area. The dogs must be cleaned up after and not allowed to chase wildlife.

**(3)** A park in the Village of Lake Hallie is defined as an area of natural, semi-natural or planted space set aside for human enjoyment and recreation or for the protection of wildlife or natural habitats. It includes areas designated by the Village Board and any lands owned or under control of the Village of Lake Hallie. Those lands may be under direct or indirect supervision of the Parks and Tourist Board.

**(4)** Penalty. Any person who violates any provision of this section shall be subject to a forfeiture as specified in Section 1.4.02. of the Village of Lake Hallie Code.