

Rules and Regulations

concerning the use of Powerboats in the Lake Madrone area

1. A **\$50.00** annual fee (April 1 – November 30) and the execution of a Powerboat Use Agreement are required prior to operating a powerboat on Lake Madrone. An I.D. sticker **must** be displayed on the boat at all times. The I.D. sticker will confirm that proof of adequate liability insurance has been presented to the Lake Madrone Water District and that a Powerboat Use Agreement has been executed.
2. Each property owner and their immediate family are allowed to have one (1) powerboat in operation on the Lake at any one time, provided that all of the other applicable rules are followed.
3. The use of Lake Madrone by powerboats for cruising, skiing or tobogganing shall be limited to the hours between **10:00 a.m to 3:00 p.m.** so as to allow unmolested time for those wishing to fish or use the Lake for other recreational purposes. A powerboat, used for fishing at trolling speed, is not considered a powerboat for purposes of this rule.
4. Powerboats and sailing craft shall avoid all designated swimming areas.
5. Canoes, rowboats, swimmers and the like **must stay out of the ski areas of Lake Madrone from 10:00 a.m to 3:00 p.m.**, when powerboats are in operation.
6. Not more than two (2) powerboats and/or two (2) skiers shall be permitted to operate on the Lake at any one time.
7. All ski boats shall take off at one designated point, which shall be the Ski Beach, unless changed by the Lake Madrone Water District Board of Directors.
8. In addition to the driver, each boat pulling a skier shall have an observer in the boat that is at least twelve (12) years of age.
9. Powerboats are forbidden to chase waterfowl or to willingly destroy the water lilies in the Lake.
10. No jet skis, jet boats, or other excessively loud boats are permitted on Lake Madrone.
11. At the discretion of Lake Madrone Water District Board of Directors, violations of these rules may result in the revocation of a powerboat use permit.
12. In the event of an emergency, all Lake use activities are to cease until the emergency equipment has left the Lake area.
13. All boaters are to abide by the U.S. Coast Guard Inland Safe Boating Rules.

(Powerboat Use Agreement on the reverse side)

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