

APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY  
COMMISSIONERS AT ITS MEETING

JUL 25 1995

*ala/jyu*

RESOLUTION NO. 95-M-65

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A BOAT SPEED LIMIT ON LAKES APOPKA, BEAUCLAIR, HART, JESSAMINE, MARY JANE, LAWNE, LITTLE FISH, POCKET, SHEEN, TIBET BUTLER, CHASE, BLANCHE, BESSIE, BUTLER, DOWN, CRESCENT, AND WAUSEON BAY; PROVIDING A PENALTY; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Orange County Board of County Commissioners is authorized by ordinance and state statute to establish boat speed limits applicable to waterways located in all portions of Orange County including those waterways located within incorporated areas in Orange County not governed by a city ordinance in the same subject matter; and

WHEREAS, the Orange County Board of County Commissioners, in amending Chapter 8 of the Orange County Code, hereby determines that a speed limit on any portion of lakes Apopka, Beauclair, Hart, Jessamine, Mary Jane, Lawne, Little Fish, Pocket, Sheen, Tibet Butler, Chase, Blanche, Bessie, Butler, Down, Crescent and Wauseon Bay located within Orange County (including incorporated areas) is necessary in order to protect the health, safety and general welfare of the citizens of Orange County; and

WHEREAS, said speed limit shall not apply to any connecting canals; or areas within one hundred (100) feet of shoreline, docks, piers or boathouses, where a lower speed limit or no wake zone is required.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA:

Section 1. THAT, a speed limit of 40 mph is established on the open waterways within Orange County (including those portions of Orange County within the boundaries of any municipality) of lakes Apopka, Beauclair, Hart, Jessamine, Mary Jane, Lawne, Little Fish, Pocket, Sheen, Tibet Butler, Chase, Blanche, Bessie, Butler, Down, Crescent and Wauseon Bay during daylight hours. Daylight hours shall be the time period between sunrise and sunset.

Section 2. THAT, a speed limit of 20 mph is established on the open waterways within Orange County (including those portions of Orange County within the boundaries of a municipality) of lakes Apopka, Beauclair, Hart, Jessamine, Mary Jane, Lawne, Little Fish, Pocket, Sheen, Tibet Butler, Chase, Blanche, Bessie, Butler, Down, Crescent and Wauseon Bay at all other times.

Section 3. THAT, a copy of this Resolution is being furnished to the Sheriff and State Attorney of Orange County.

Section 4. PENALTY. Violators of this Resolution shall be subject to penalties for careless operation of a boat, motorboat, or vessel, in the manner provided by general law.

Section 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this resolution or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect

other provisions or applications of the resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provision or applications, and to this end the provisions of this Resolution are declared severable.

Section 6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED THIS 25<sup>th</sup> DAY OF July, 1995.

ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: John C. Bennett  
County Chairman

DATE: 7/27/95

ATTEST: Martha O. Haynie, County Comptroller  
As Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners

BY: Carol M. Haynie  
Deputy Clerk

