

TITLE: LPOA POLICY NO. 22 INVASIVE SPECIES PREVENTION PROCEDURES

PURPOSE: To establish the policy and procedures governing LPOA's prevention of Zebra Mussels and other invasive species.

- Gates at each marina are to be monitored by staff.
- 2 Trailers kept on site for use in transporting watercrafts and equipment in and out of Lakewood Lakes. All residents having maintenance performed on their craft by service companies must use the Lakewood trailers to remove and launch their craft. Any expenses incurred to transfer the craft to the companies trailer are the owner's responsibility.
- A wash/inspection station with gasoline/kerosene power washer at the West Lake Marina is to be used prior to launching on Lakewood Lakes. Any boat/trailer entering Lakewood via a boat launch ramp would need to be washed with water in excess of 140 degrees F and inspected by LPOA staff.
 - The wash/inspection process will involve a thorough power-washing of trailer and pontoons/hull of boat. In addition, all live-wells will be washed and flushed, all internal compartments inspected for standing water, and the engine will be washed and flushed.
 - All boats leaving Lakewood lakes via trailer must receive an LPOA band that connects the boat to the trailer.
 - Only craft that have an intact LPOA band will be allowed to launch onto Lakewood Lakes.
 - Bands will be installed by LPOA staff upon removal of the craft from Lakewood or after passing an LPOA-performed wash/inspection.
- If during a wash/ inspection, staff finds an adult zebra mussel on boat or trailer, craft would be "quarantined" for a period of 5-30 days, depending on ambient temperatures conditions. The Missouri Department of Conservation will also be notified of the finding.
- LPOA's Rules and Regs Article II, Section 2 to include 2.180, "Combative Measures for the Prevention of Zebra Mussels".
- A packet will be given to every boat owner at time of registration sticker distribution, outlining LPOA's measures. Resident will be required to sign Article 2.180 to receive the registration stickers. If resident pays the \$15 fee to have staff apply the LPOA registration stickers, the resident will be required to sign the agreement before the stickers will be applied.
- \$5,000.00 Citation, automatic accumulation of 12 points and loss of amenity privileges for violation of rules.

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