

# A-Engrossed Senate Bill 602

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## SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure.

**Bans use of motors on Waldo Lake. Bans seaplanes from landing on or taking off from Waldo Lake. Provides exception for boats propelled by electric motors when operated at speed of less than 10 miles per hour.**

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to Waldo Lake; creating new provisions; amending ORS 830.110, 830.185, 830.990 and 835.205; and declaring an emergency.

**Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

**SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2013 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 830.**

**SECTION 2. (1) Except as provided in subsections (2) and (3) of this section, a person may not use a motor to propel a boat on Waldo Lake or use a seaplane to land on or take off from Waldo Lake.**

**(2) Subsection (1) of this section does not apply to the Department of State Police and any other public body, as defined in ORS 174.109, that has jurisdiction over the lake.**

**(3) Subsection (1) of this section does not apply to boats propelled by an electric motor when operated at a speed of less than 10 miles per hour.**

**SECTION 3. ORS 830.185 is amended to read:**

830.185. (1) *[No person shall]* **A person may not** operate a boat with an outboard or inboard motor at a speed in excess of 10 miles per hour during those hours of the day and on those days of the year that it is lawful to fish, on East Lake, Paulina Lake and Elk Lake in Deschutes County; Magone Lake in Grant County; Timothy Lake in Clackamas County; and Davis Lake in Deschutes and Klamath Counties.

(2) *[No person shall]* **A person may not** operate a boat with an outboard or inboard motor at a speed in excess of 10 miles per hour on the following named waters of this state located in the counties named:

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<u>Counties</u>	<u>Lakes and Reservoirs</u>
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**NOTE:** Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter *[italic and bracketed]* is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.

1	Clackamas	On that portion of the waters of the reservoir known as North Fork Reservoir which
2		lies upstream from a line drawn across the reservoir at right angles to the thread
3		of the stream at a point 2.3 miles upstream from the North Fork Dam measured along
4		the thread of the stream
5	Deschutes	Hosmer, Lava, Little Cultus, Little Lava, Sparks Lakes and Crane Prairie Reservoir
6	Jefferson	On that portion of the waters behind Pelton Dam, known as Lake Simtustus, which
7		lies upstream from a line drawn across the lake at right angles to the thread of the
8		stream at a point 0.85 miles upstream from the Pelton Dam measured along the
9		thread of the stream
10	Klamath	That portion of Upper Klamath Lake that lies west of a line beginning at a point on
11		the north shore of Pelican Bay one-quarter mile east of Crystal Creek and extending
12		due south to the opposite shore of the lake; any stream, creek or canal that leads into
13		the portion of Upper Klamath Lake described above including Crystal Creek, Recre-
14		ation Creek and Four-Mile Creek, also known as Harriman Creek
15	[Lane	Waldo Lake]
16	Linn	Smith and Trailbridge Reservoirs
17	Wasco	Clear Lake

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(3)(a) The State Marine Board shall establish an appropriate decibel rating and speed restriction on Diamond Lake in Douglas County to allow recreational boating that is not limited to fishing. Recreational boating does not include operating a jet ski or similar personal watercraft. The speed established by the board:

- 24 (A) May not exceed 45 miles per hour between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.;
- 25 (B) May not exceed 10 miles per hour between the hours of 6 p.m. and 9 a.m.; and
- 26 (C) Shall be restricted to 10 miles per hour at all times in any area within 200 yards of any boat
- 27 ramp, boat dock, swimming area, inlet or outlet of the lake, designated campground or summer
- 28 home.

(b) The board shall reduce the speed restriction on Diamond Lake to 10 miles per hour at all hours when the State Fish and Wildlife Director determines that the health of Diamond Lake is restored and the lake can be restocked for fishing.

**SECTION 4.** ORS 830.990 is amended to read:

33 830.990. (1)(a) Violation of ORS 830.565 by a person operating a manually propelled boat is a

34 Class D violation. Notwithstanding ORS 153.019, the presumptive fine for a violation of ORS 830.565

35 is \$30.

(b) Violation of ORS 830.565 by a person operating a motorboat is punishable as a Class D violation. Notwithstanding ORS 153.019, the presumptive fine for a violation of ORS 830.565 is \$50.

(2) A person who violates ORS 830.050, 830.088, 830.090, 830.092, 830.094, 830.230, 830.415, 830.710, 830.720, 830.770, 830.780, 830.810, 830.850 or 830.855, or rules adopted to carry out the purposes of those statutes, commits a Class D violation.

(3) A person who violates ORS 830.220, 830.240, 830.245, 830.250, 830.375, 830.475 (4), 830.480, 830.785, 830.805 or 830.825, or rules adopted to carry out the purposes of those statutes, commits a Class C violation.

(4) A person who violates ORS 830.110, 830.175, 830.180, 830.185, 830.195, 830.210, 830.215, 830.225, 830.235, 830.260, 830.300, 830.315 (2) and (3), 830.335, 830.340, 830.345, 830.350, 830.355,

1 830.360, 830.362, 830.365, 830.370, 830.410, 830.420, 830.495, 830.560, 830.775, 830.795 or 830.830 **or**  
2 **section 2 of this 2013 Act**, or rules adopted to carry out the purposes of those statutes, commits  
3 a Class B violation.

4 (5) A person who violates ORS 830.305 or 830.390, or rules adopted to carry out the purposes  
5 of those statutes, commits a Class A violation.

6 (6) A person who violates ORS 830.383 or 830.909 commits a Class B misdemeanor.

7 (7) A person who violates ORS 830.035 (2), 830.053, 830.315 (1), 830.325, 830.475 (1), 830.730 or  
8 830.955 (1) commits a Class A misdemeanor.

9 (8) A person who violates ORS 830.475 (2) commits a Class C felony.

10 **SECTION 5.** ORS 830.110 is amended to read:

11 830.110. In addition to the powers and duties otherwise provided in this chapter, the State Ma-  
12 rine Board shall have the power and duty to:

13 (1) Make all rules necessary to carry out the provisions of this chapter. The rules shall be made  
14 in accordance with ORS chapter 183.

15 (2) Devise a system of identifying numbers for boats, floating homes and boathouses. If an  
16 agency of the federal government has an overall system of identification numbering for boats within  
17 the United States, the system devised by the board shall conform with the federal system.

18 (3) Cooperate with state and federal agencies to promote uniformity of the laws relating to  
19 boating and their enforcement.

20 (4) Make contracts necessary to carry out the provisions of ORS 830.060 to 830.140, 830.700 to  
21 830.715, 830.725, 830.730, 830.770, 830.780, 830.785, 830.795 to 830.820 and 830.830 to 830.870.

22 (5) Advise and assist county sheriffs and other peace officers in the enforcement of laws relating  
23 to boating.

24 (6) Study, plan and recommend the development of boating facilities throughout the state which  
25 will promote the safety and pleasure of the public through boating.

26 (7) Publicize the advantage of safe boating.

27 (8) Accept gifts and grants of property and money to be used to further the purposes of this  
28 chapter.

29 (9) Exempt from any provisions of this chapter any class of boats if it determines that the safety  
30 of persons and property will not be materially promoted by the applicability of those provisions to  
31 the class of boats. The board may not exempt from numbering any class of boats unless:

32 (a) The board determines that the numbering will not materially aid in their identification; and

33 (b) The secretary of the department of the federal government under which the United States  
34 Coast Guard is operating has exempted from numbering the same boats or classes of boats.

35 (10) Appoint and require the bonding of agents to issue a temporary permit to operate a boat.  
36 In addition to the prescribed fees, the agents may charge the following for their services in issuing  
37 the temporary permit:

38 (a) \$2.50 per transaction for calendar years 2008, 2009 and 2010;

39 (b) \$3.75 per transaction for calendar years 2011, 2012 and 2013; and

40 (c) Beginning in 2014, and every three years thereafter, the board shall issue an order revising  
41 the fee specified in paragraph (b) of this subsection on January 1, based on changes in the  
42 Portland-Salem, OR-WA, Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for All Items, as published  
43 by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States Department of Labor. The board shall round  
44 the amount of the fee to the nearest half-dollar. The revised fee takes effect on January 1 and ap-  
45 plies for the following three years.

1 (11) Publish and distribute to the interested public the boating laws of this state and resumes  
2 or explanations of those laws.

3 (12) Publish and distribute forms for any application required under this chapter and require the  
4 use of such forms.

5 (13) Make rules for the uniform navigational marking of the waters of this state. Such rules shall  
6 not conflict with markings prescribed by the United States Coast Guard. No political subdivision  
7 or person shall mark the waters of this state in any manner in conflict with the markings prescribed  
8 by the board.

9 (14) Make rules regarding marine toilets and their use consistent with the prevention and con-  
10 trol of pollution of the waters of this state and not in conflict with the rules of the Oregon Health  
11 Authority or the Environmental Quality Commission.

12 (15) Institute proceedings to enjoin unlawful obstructions injuring free navigation on the waters  
13 of this state.

14 (16) Make rules regulating water ski course markers, ski jumps and other special use devices  
15 placed in the waters of this state. Such rules may regulate the installation and use of the devices  
16 and may require a permit.

17 (17) Adopt rules necessary to carry out and enforce the provisions of ORS 830.950 and 830.955.  
18 The rules shall include but need not be limited to:

19 (a) The kinds of protective covering or physical barriers that are acceptable to be used between  
20 a submersible polystyrene device and the water.

21 (b) Guidelines for the use of submersible polystyrene devices for the repair or maintenance of  
22 existing docks or floats.

23 (18) Adopt rules providing for establishment of a Safe Boating Education Course to be made  
24 available to courts and law enforcement agencies within this state for use as a sentencing option  
25 for those individuals convicted of boating offenses. The board shall specify the content of the Safe  
26 Boating Education Course and shall prescribe procedures for making the course available to local  
27 courts and law enforcement agencies, including procedures for promptly notifying such courts  
28 whether individuals required to enroll in the course have taken and successfully passed the course.  
29 Such rules may provide for administration of the course through nonprofit organizations, such as the  
30 United States Coast Guard Auxiliary, United States Power Squadrons or similar groups.

31 (19) For purposes of ORS 830.175, 830.180, 830.185 and 830.195 **and section 2 of this 2013 Act**,  
32 in cooperation with the State Aviation Board, regulate boats that are seaplanes as provided in ORS  
33 830.605 and 835.200.

34 **SECTION 6.** ORS 835.205 is amended to read:

35 835.205. For purposes of ORS 830.175, 830.180, 830.185 and 830.195 **and section 2 of this 2013**  
36 **Act**, the Oregon Department of Aviation, in cooperation with the State Marine Board, shall regulate  
37 boats that are seaplanes as provided in ORS 830.605 and 835.200.

38 **SECTION 7.** **This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**  
39 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect**  
40 **on its passage.**