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On Behalf Of:

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I am 63 years old and have been an avid boater my entire life. I have witnessed many changes on the River during that time. Most notably the rise in paddle sport and wake boats.

The popularity of wake boats has imperiled most other watercraft and shore infrastructure. The size of these wakes is a clear and present danger to all on the water. Please restrict them to the lower Willamette and the Columbia.

Thank you, Sid Healey