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ORDINANCE NO.

An ordinance of San Bernardino County, State of California, to amend ~~Section 52.0506 Chapter 6, Division 2 or Title 5~~ of the San Bernardino County Code, relating to Speed Limits on Lake Havasu.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of San Bernardino, State of California, ordains as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 52.0506 of the San Bernardino County Code is amended to read as follows:

Section 52.0506 Speed Limits on Lake Havasu.

(a) *Copper Canyon.*

(1) No person shall operate a boat or other vessel at greater than “no wake” speed or above five miles per hour in areas designated “no wake zones” in the cove area of the Colorado River commonly referred to as Copper Canyon, which is part of Lake Havasu and is within the area described as follows:

The northernmost edge of this cove is located at: Latitude: North 34 degrees, 25 minutes, 40 seconds Longitude: West 114 degrees, 18 minutes, 30 seconds. The southernmost edge of this cove is located at: Latitude: North 34 degrees, 25 minutes, .380 seconds Longitude: West 114 degrees, 18 minutes, .230 seconds.

(2) “No wake” and “speed zone” buoys shall be clearly marked and placed in a manner which will make one or more of them plainly visible to boaters approaching Copper Canyon anywhere along the entire waterway opening leading into this cove.

(b) *Black Meadow Landing Marina.*

(1) No person shall operate a boat or other vessel at greater than “no wake” speed or above five miles per hour in areas designated “no wake zones” in the cove area of the Colorado River commonly referred to as Black Meadow Landing Marina,

1 which is part of Lake Havasu, and is within the area described as follows: The
2 northernmost edge of this cove is located at: Longitude: North 34 degrees, 21 minutes,
3 27 seconds Latitude: West 114 degrees, 11 minutes, 68 seconds. The southernmost
4 edge of this cove is located at: Longitude: North 34 degrees, 21 minutes, 23 seconds
5 Latitude: West 114 degrees, 11 minutes, 54 seconds.

6 (2) "No wake" and "speed zone" buoys shall be clearly marked and
7 placed in a manner which will make one or more of them plainly visible to boaters
8 approaching Black Meadow Landing Marina anywhere along the entire waterway opening
9 leading into this cove.

10 (c) *Havasu Palms Marina.*

11 (1) No person shall operate a boat or other vessel at greater than "no
12 wake" speed or above five miles per hour in areas designated "no wake zones" in the
13 cove area of the Colorado River commonly referred to as Havasu Palms Marina, which is
14 part of Lake Havasu and is within the area described as follows: The northernmost edge
15 of this cove is located at: Latitude: North 34 degrees, ~~24~~3 minutes, ~~98~~3.72 seconds
16 Longitude: West 114 degrees, ~~17~~6 minutes, ~~5.5886~~ seconds. The southernmost edge of
17 this cove is located at: Latitude: North 34 degrees, 24 minutes, ~~4.205~~ seconds Longitude:
18 West 114 degrees, 16 minutes, ~~46.5080~~ seconds.

19 (2) "No wake" and "speed zone" buoys shall be clearly marked and
20 placed in a manner which will make one or more of them plainly visible to boaters
21 approaching Havasu Palms Marina anywhere along the entire waterway opening leading
22 into this cove.

23 (d) *Unnamed Cove Located Seven/Tenths of a Mile North of Havasu Palms*
24 *Marina and Three/Tenths of a Mile Southwest of Pilot Rock.*

25 (1) No person shall operate a boat or other vessel at greater than "no
26 wake" speed or above five miles per hour in areas designated "no wake zones" in the
27 unnamed cove area of the Colorado River that is located seven-tenths of a mile north of
28 Havasu Palms and three-tenths of a mile southwest of Pilot Rock, which is part of Lake

1 Havasu, and is within the area described as follows: The northernmost edge of this cove
2 is located at: Longitude: North 34 degrees, 24 minutes, 51 seconds. Latitude: West 114
3 degrees, 17 minutes, 57 seconds. The southernmost edge of this cove is located at:
4 Longitude: North 34 degrees, 24 minutes, 22 seconds Latitude: West 114 degrees, 17
5 minutes, 37 seconds.

6 (2) "No wake" and "speed zone" buoys shall be clearly marked and
7 placed in a manner which will make one or more of them plainly visible to boaters
8 approaching the unnamed cove located seven-tenths of a mile north of Havasu Palms
9 Marina and three-tenths of a mile southwest of Pilot Rock anywhere along the entire
10 waterway opening leading into this cove.

11 (e) *Other Designated "No Wake Zones" and "Speed Zones" on Lake Havasu.*

12 (1) In addition to the restrictions set forth in Subdivisions (a) through (d)
13 above, on that portion of the Colorado River within the County's jurisdiction and commonly
14 referred to as Lake Havasu, it shall be unlawful to operate a boat or other vessel in
15 violation of marked "no wake zones" and "speed zones." Such zones may be designated
16 by the Sheriff to promote public safety and to reduce the hazards presented by conflicting
17 uses on the Colorado River by the boating public.

18 (2) All designated "no wake zones" and "speed zones" on Lake Havasu
19 shall be clearly marked by buoys placed in a manner which will make one or more of them
20 plainly visible to boaters approaching a designated "no wake zone."

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22 SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days from the date of
23 adoption.

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26 DAWN ROWE, Chair
27 Board of Supervisors
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1 SIGNED AND CERTIFIED THAT A COPY
2 OF THIS DOCUMENT HAS BEEN DELIVERED
3 TO THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD

4 LYNNA MONELL, Clerk of the
5 Board of Supervisors

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1 STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
2) ss.
3 SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY)

4 I, LYNNA MONELL, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of San Bernardino County,
5 State of California, hereby certify that at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of
6 said County and State, held on the _____ day of _____, 2026 at which meeting
7 were present Supervisors: _____

8 and the Clerk, the foregoing ordinance was passed and adopted by the following vote, to
9 wit:

10 AYES: SUPERVISORS:

11 NOES: SUPERVISORS:

12 ABSENT: SUPERVISORS:

13 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal
14 of the Board of Supervisors this ____ day of _____, 2026.

15 LYNNA MONELL, Clerk of the
16 Board of Supervisors of
17 San Bernardino County,
18 State of California

19 _____
20 Deputy

21 Approved as to Form:

22 LAURA FEINGOLD
23 County Counsel

24 By: _____
25 JOLENA E. GRIDER
26 Deputy County Counsel

27 Date: _____

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