

Subject: No Wake Zone comment to commissioners  
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Dear Commissioners,

Really? Are you seriously thinking of taking away the only measure of safety that exists in the confined, highly congested area of the bay? Does the powerboat public that chooses to launch at Bayview really have more clout than the residents of the county who live, moor and recreate there? Hmmmm. Perhaps the power boaters should be reminded of the public launch at Farragut only a mile away where they would not be inconvenienced by a no wake zone that has successfully served its lake community for over 20 years.

A recreation map shows a total of 12 public boat launches on Lake Pend Orielle. Why would a boater choose one that delays access to the **147 square miles of open lake** when there are so many other options?

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