GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2001

SESSION LAW 2001-65 **HOUSE BILL 172**

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A NO-WAKE ZONE FOR THE TOWN OF CEDAR POINT AND AREAS WITHIN THE TOWN'S EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. It is unlawful to operate a vessel at greater than no-wake speed on the waters of the Intracoastal Waterway within the corporate limits of the Town of Cedar Point and the Town's extraterritorial jurisdiction under G.S. 160A-360.

SECTION 2. With regard to marking the no-wake speed zone established in Section 1 of this act, the Town of Cedar Point or its designee may place and maintain markers in accordance with the Uniform Waterway Marking System and any supplementary standards for that system adopted by the Wildlife Resources Commission. All markers of the no-wake speed zone shall be buoys or floating signs placed in the water and shall be sufficient in number and size so as to give adequate warning of the no-wake speed zone to vessels approaching from various directions.

SECTION 3. This act is enforceable under G.S. 75A-17 as if it were a provision of Chapter 75A of the General Statutes. **SECTION 4.** Violation of this act is a Class 3 misdemeanor.

SECTION 5. This act is effective when it becomes law and is enforceable after markers complying with Section 2 of this act are placed in the water.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 14th day of May, 2001.

> s/ Beverly E. Perdue President of the Senate

s/ James B. Black Speaker of the House of Representatives