

CITY OF NORWAY

ORDINANCE NO. 400

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USE OF PETROLEUM
POWERED WATER CRAFT FROM CITY OWNED
PROPERTY ON HANBURY LAKE**

THE CITY OF NORWAY ORDAINS:

Definitions.

Access Point means any dock, descending paved or non-paved driveway, or access way that is able to be used for the launching or retrieving of a water craft.

Petroleum Powered Water Craft means any conveyance, vehicle, or mechanism, whether designed for the conveyance of humans that is wholly or partially powered by gas, oil, diesel, or other petroleum-based fuel or medium and is primarily used for conveyance over water.

Water Craft means any conveyance, vehicle, or mechanism that is not a petroleum powered water craft. Water craft includes, but it not limited to, a row boat, paddle boat, kayak, canoe, and any similar conveyance.

Prohibition of launching certain water conveyances.

1. A person shall not launch or retrieve a petroleum powered water craft on or at any access point located in the City of Norway or in any access point under the control or jurisdiction of the City of Norway.
2. Notwithstanding subsection (1), a water craft may be launched at an access point located in or under the jurisdiction of the City of Norway.

Enforcement.

The City Manager, his designees and sworn law enforcement officers are authorized to enforce the provisions of this ordinance.

Violations, Fines and Penalties.

Any person, firm, or corporation violating the provisions of this law shall be responsible for a Civil Infraction, punishable by a fine as set forth in the City Schedule of fines.

Part II. Savings Clause.

All proceedings pending and all rights and liabilities existing, acquired or incurred at the time this Ordinance takes effect are saved and may be consummated according to the law enforced when they are commenced.

Part III. Severability.

The various parts, sections and clauses of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable. If any part, sentence, paragraph, section or clause is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of the ordinance shall not be affected.

Part IV. Repeal.

All regulatory provisions contained in other city ordinances which are inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance, are repealed.

Part V. Effective Date; Publication.

This ordinance shall become effective upon publication of a notice in a newspaper circulated in the city, stating the date of the enactment and the effective date of the ordinance, a brief notice as to the subject matter of this ordinance, and such other facts as the city clerk shall deem pertinent and that a copy of the ordinance is available for public use and inspection at the office of the city clerk.

Adoption:

The City of Norway has adopted Ordinance No. 400, Hanbury Lake Access. This Ordinance shall be effective upon publication. A true copy of the ordinance may be inspected or obtained at the office of the City Clerk.

EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance shall become effective no earlier than 15 days after enactment nor before publication thereof, as set forth in the city charter.

ENACTED: July 16, 2012

PUBLISHED: July 25, 2012

EFFECTIVE: July 31, 2012

Ayes: Oja, Meneghini, Hayes, Gotstein, Bubloni

Nays: _____

Jeremy Oja
Mayor, City of Norway

Trisha Plante
Clerk, City of Norway

I, Trisha Plante, City Clerk of the City of Norway do hereby certify that the above Ordinance was published in the Norway Current, Norway, Michigan, on the 25th day of July, A.D., 2012.

Trisha Plante
City of Norway Clerk

NO PETROLEUM POWERED WATER CRAFT

Pursuant to Ordinance Number 400 the use of Hanbury Lake had been restricted to prohibit the operation or use of gas or petroleum based motorized watercraft.

Anyone who launches, operates or uses gas or petroleum based motorized watercraft from park property in violation of this order shall be responsible for a civil infraction.

Violators can be reported to the Norway Police Department (906) 563-5801