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Legistar Item: 13-9227

To:

Sandy Weidner, Chairman

Public Works and Services Committee

From:

John Rooney 44

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works/City Engineer

Re:

New Ordinance Prohibiting Long-Term Docking at Rooney/Pugh Recreational Areas

We are requesting the modification, in italics and underlined, to City Ordinance Section 106-64 to read:

No person shall dock a boat for any period of time longer than two hours on the north shoreline of Root River within 305 feet west of the Main Street Bridge, along the north side of the Root River, east from the east edge of the Main Street Bridge for a distance of 122 feet, and along the south side of the Root River, east from the east edge of the Main Street Bridge for a distance of 138 feet, <u>and along the east shoreline of Rooney/Pugh Recreational Area located at the east terminus of Reichert Court for a distance of 750 feet north.</u>

We are also requesting the modification, in italics and underlined, to City Ordinance Section 106-65 to read:

The county sheriff's water <u>safety enforcement</u> patrol shall be given authority to enforce section 106-64.

The modifications in the City Ordinance are related to prohibiting long-term docking at the Rooney/Pugh Recreational Areas so as to protect general public access.

JCR:njp