

Forest Lake Homeowners Association

Boating & Fishing Regulations - 2020

- Boats must have current FLHA Decals on both sides of the craft.
- Boating stickers & keys are for Forest Lake Homeowner members only and cannot be given to or loaned out to anyone else. Failure to abide to this rule can lose one's membership and/or result in a fine.
- All watercraft are required to be titled except documented vessels, windsurfers and those propelled by human power with oars, paddles or similar devices. All sailboats must be titled.
- Trolling motors only are allowed to operate on lake. (Gas engines can be attached to boats but can not be operated unless for official lake maintenance or for game wardens while on official business).

All boats must have a U.S. Guard approved wearable type personal flotation device (PFD) for each person on board.

Any person under 12 years of age must wear an approved coast guard life vest at all times when on board a boat less than 16 feet long.

All boats 16 feet in length or longer must carry a type IV throwable device.

Fire extinguishers: See SC Rules and Regulations

Navigation lights must be on at official sunset to sunrise. (White flashlights must be on all non-motorized boats).

All boats must carry a sound producing device, e.g., whistle, horn, etc.

All boats should have oars, paddles or similar devices on board.

Fishing licenses are required for those 16 years of age and over.

While fishing, licenses must be in possession whether on boat, dock or land.

Fish limits: see SC rules and regulations. Keep - Catfish no limit

***To improve our fishery, we are temporarily requiring **catch and release** of Bream, Crappie and Bass. Please harvest all Catfish, Perch and Mudfish in order to improve our game fish populations. You will be notified when these requirements change.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Any actions taken on the lake are usually seen by those on shore. Please show proper boating and fishing etiquette. Be respectful of other's property and surroundings.

If you need boat decal(s), please fill out below and return to Forest Lake HOA, P.O. Box 12284, Florence, SC 29504 – or email to: FLakeHOA@gmail.com

Do you need a boat sticker for your household boat? Yes___ No___ How many_____

Boat Information (write "same" if no changes)

Type_____ color_____ length_____ Registration #_____ Decal #_____

I have read and agree to the above.

Name _____ Signature _____

Address: _____