
Sec. 11-303 Ragged Mountain Reservoir.

Uses and activities within the boundaries of the Ragged Mountain Reservoir shall be regulated as provided herein:

- A. *Boundaries of reservoir.* The boundaries of the upper and lower reservoir are shown on maps on file in the office of the clerk of the board of supervisors, entitled "Ragged Mountain Reservoir, Tax Maps 59, 74, 75."
- B. *Authorized activities.* Fishing which is conducted in compliance with all applicable state statutes and regulations, hiking, birdwatching and picnicking shall be authorized within the boundaries of both the upper and lower reservoir.
- C. *Activities authorized only by permit.* Canoeing and boating with boats not operated by internal combustion engines are authorized within the boundaries of both the upper and lower reservoir only pursuant to a permit issued by the Rivanna Water and Sewer Authority.
- D. *Prohibited activities.* Any activity not expressly permitted, including but not limited to, swimming, hunting, trapping or discharging of firearms and camping shall be prohibited within the boundaries of both the upper and lower reservoir.
- E. *Boats.* All boats operated with internal combustion engines shall be prohibited within the boundaries of both the upper and lower reservoir, except for those boats operated by the Rivanna Water and Sewer Authority and the Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries for official purposes. Boats equipped with internal combustion engines whose use is prohibited shall have the engine tilted in a nonoperating position when within the boundaries of the upper and lower reservoir. If such boats are equipped with or utilize removable gas tanks, the gas tanks shall be removed prior to entering reservoir waters.
- F. *Motor vehicles.* Motor vehicles shall be prohibited from all but designated paved or improved roads and designated parking areas.
- G. *Fires.* Fires shall be prohibited, except for those within a picnic grill or those required and approved by the Rivanna Water and Sewer Authority as part of the watershed management program.

(12-9-81; 6-8-83; 2-11-87; Code 1988, §§ 14-13, 14-15, 14-19, 14-21, 14-23; Ord. 98-A(1), 8-5-98; Ord. 11-11(1), 7-6-11)

State law reference(s)—Va. Code § 15.2-2109.