

Lake Use Survey:
"C" Answer Explanation

- Allow wake-surfing on Lake Lure just like any other recreational sport at all times
- Allow wake surfing without regulating times or areas.
- Not removing any boater or skiers rights
- Up to Town if damages shoreline/seawalls
- Allow wake-surfing with no regulations
- Lake is too small for this sport
- Promote good etiquette, don't surf if it's too busy, don't be an asshole
- Live near the dam and Lake Lure Adventure - too much boat traffic/wake already
- Lake is not big enough. That is the last thing we need. Our lake is crowded enough with pontoon boats and speed boats.
- Enforcement of "no-wake" zones
- I think it is fine! I like to watch them!
- Perhaps limit wake surfing to weekdays, M - F between Memorial Day and Labor Day.
- I don't mind regulating it as long as it is reasonable and still allows wake surfing.
- Allowing in all non no-wake areas. It's a small lake, so where could it be restricted?
- I think the lake is too small for additional activities. Perhaps allowing it off-season.
- Allow wake surfing
- Too dangerous and annoying to other users.
- Let them have their fun; they're not bothering anyone.
- Fine with it at any time
- Love the present serenity of Lake Lure. Makes it special and unique from other lakes.
- Limit times for water skiing/tubing
- There is too large od a wake as it is. Plus, it will erode the bank more than it already is.
- I only fish - doesn't make a difference
- Large waves deteriorate banks and make it unsafe for canoes/kayaks and totally disrupts fishing.
- I just fish, any decision is ok with me
- No action
- If people are paying their boat permits, then why regulate the use? Let them surf wherever and whenever.
- Do not limit wake surfing at all
- Allowing out 100 feet from buoys.
- Allow wake surfing
- See other comments
- Leaving it alone. Quit messing with people having fun.
- Lake Lure is a small lake. Wake surfing is potentially damaging to seawalls, boathouses, and natural shorelines.

- Having a Town Hall meeting with ample notice to residents to discuss impacts of all watersports and tour boats. I'm 100% against the banning of wake surfing and any other watersport currently allowed.
- Do nothing, there is not a wake surfing problem on Lake Lure.
- I support not changing current regulations.
- No new restrictions are necessary
- Limitations to proximity of shoreline and other boats or weekday/weekend restrictions may be appropriate
- No restrictions at all
- They aren't an issue. Leave people alone to have fun on the lake.
- Allow in all areas of the lake
- Allow anywhere/anytime
- 100% against any further restrictions regarding wake surfing. Leave it alone!
- Not the right kind of lake. Go surfing at the ocean.
- Too much boat wakes at Lake Lure already.
- Lake Lure is not a large enough lake to support this sport.
- No additional restrictions
- I am not opposed
- The damage being done to our seawalls and water frontage.
- No wake surfing on summer weekends
- Leave rules as is: All watersports can occur past the no-wake buoys. No time restrictions.
- Residents and permit holders should enjoy all their sports.
- I support current rules in place.
- Center of the lake where 4 bays converge
- Not sure
- What problems does wake surfing present?
- As a boat operator, you are responsible for your wake. Enforce "no-wake" areas and damage caused by boats.
- It is tearing up our shoreline.
- The wake required is enormous.
- Wake from regular water sports cause big waves where we live with small children and no cove, it would be dangerous for them to be on the water.
- I would support regulating times and/or areas of the lake for tubing, as well.
- It increases erosion and homeowners bear the cost to repair lakefront property.
- Already spent \$40,000 on replacing a wall due to wake damage.
- We support everything listed under item 2, including wake surfing.
- I don't own a motor boat on the lake.
- More security/limit number of boats
- People who own expensive houses/boats for years should be able to do what they moved here to do - to each their own!
- Yes, from 9 am to 5 pm and only in deep water - The "big water" where tour boats RPM's are not restricted.

- It does not matter the time or area on the lake. Lake is not wide enough for waves to dissipate before hitting the shore.
- No restrictions on wake surfing
- Big waves wash away walls.
- Allow anywhere and anytime as wake boarding or any other wake producing activity is allowed on the lake.
- Allowing wake surfing with no restrictions
- No restrictions
- Allow wake surfing anytime
- Allowing wake surfing with no restrictions
- Support it
- Allowing wake surfing
- I support wake surfing.
- Do not understand the issue enough to voice an opinion.
- I support wake surfing anytime
- I don't think you should restrict time or location
- The lake is too small, particularly in some narrow areas, to safely allow wake surfing. This is an activity that disrupts swimmers, canoeists, and kayakers.
- Fully support wake surfing
- Allow wake surfing unrestricted - too much regulation now
- Keep 50' distance from a stopped or moored boat.