

ORDINANCE NO. 12

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING DIVING, LAUNCHING BOATS OR THROWING ANY ITEM, ARTICLES OR OTHER PARAPHERNALIA, OTHER THAN FISHING GEAR, FROM ANY PUBLIC PIER WITHIN THE TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH; PROHIBITING SWIMMING WITHIN FIFTY (50) FEET OF ANY PUBLIC PIER WITHIN THE TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH, PROVIDING THAT THE PASSAGE OF SAID ORDINANCE IS AN EMERGENCY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Mexico Beach, has determined that it is to the best interests to the health and welfare of the citizens that this ordinance shall take effect immediately, Now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to dive from, launch boats from, or throw or push any articles, items or other paraphernalia, other than fishing gear, from any public pier within the Town of Mexico Beach, Florida.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to swim, ride surf boards, or otherwise occupy the waters within a fifty(50) foot area of any public pier within the Town of Mexico Beach.

Section 3. Any person found guilty of violating this ordinance shall be fined not more than Fifty Dollars (\$50.00), or jailed for not in excess of ten (10) days, or both such fine and jail sentence.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage.

INTRODUCED at a regular meeting of the Town Council on the 3rd day of June, A.D. 1969, as an emergency ordinance.

TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA

BY:

C. M. Parker  
Mayor-Councilman

ATTEST:

Mary A. Carley  
Town Clerk