

House Bill 2725 DOES NOT eliminate towed watersports in the Newberg Pool.

Families can still participate in towed watersports. I just want it to be clear that there are hundreds of new boats available that weigh less than 4000 pounds that are designed for multi-user family fun. In fact, all the favored brands of wake enthusiasts, such as Matcraft, Nautique, or Malibu can make the exact same boat without the thousands of pounds of ballasting capacity. These boats can still seat up to 12 people and are awesome for towed sports, they just don't have the extra weight to submerge the hull further in the water and create the maximum wake possible, but it is still a big enough wake to do those activities. This House Bill just sets the weight limit at a reasonable weight that won't cause the damage to the bank that has been accelerated in the last several years.

Yours truly,
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