

I oppose this new rule due to the fact that it eliminates too many boats. A compromise of 7,000 lbs would be better. Going from 10,000 to 4,000 is pretty drastic. We live on the river and we don't have one of the huge boats but our boat will be eliminated by less than 1,000 lbs. As I said we live on the river in Newberg and we see people all the time surfing in front of our dock. The no surfing / ballast rule was put into place a couple summers ago. Actually enforcing the current rules would be a huge step to getting things more under control.