

Bohemia River

The purpose of this action is to update and clarify existing boating laws and coordinates of certain boundaries. This will ensure safe boating on Maryland's waterways.

Items in [parenthesis] are being deleted; items in *italics* are being added.

Title 08

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Subtitle 18 BOATING-SPEED LIMITS AND OPERATION OF VESSELS

Chapter 06 Bohemia River

Natural Resources Article, §§8-703 and 8-704. Annotated Code of Maryland

.01 Bohemia River.

The Bohemia River encompasses all the waters of the Bohemia River and its tributaries easterly of a line [from Lat. 39°29'17.26"N., Long. 75°55'28.19"W. (Town Point), running 230° True to the opposite shore, Lat. 39°28'27.34"N., Long. 75°56'45.86"W. (Ford Landing).] *beginning at a point at or near Lat. 39° 29.295' N., Long. 75° 55.487' W. (Town Point), then running 229° (True) to a point at or near Lat. 39° 28.490' N., Long. 75° 56.668' W. (Ford Landing).*

.02 Middle Bohemia River.

The Middle Bohemia River encompasses the area beginning at a point [Lat. 39°28'18.37" N., Long. 75°53'09.29" W. (Long Point), a line running 071° True to the opposite shore, Lat. 39°28'25.63" N., Long. 75°52'42.08" W. (Parlor Point),] *at or near Lat. 39° 28.300' N., Long. 75° 53.183' W. (Long Point), then running 19° (True) to a point at or near Lat. 39° 28.697' N., Long. 75° 53.005' W. (Parlor Point), and downstream of a line beginning at or near Lat. 39° 27.753' N., Long. 75° 52.135' W. (north end MD 213 bridge), then running 205° (True) to a point, at or near Lat. 39° 27.580' N., Long. 75° 52.240' W. (south end MD 213 bridge),* [and extending upriver to the bridge on Route 213,] including Manor Creek. This area has a 6-knot [(6.9 MPH)] speed limit Saturdays, Sundays, and State holidays, all year.

.03 Scotchman Creek.

Scotchman Creek encompasses the area beginning at a point [Lat. 39°27'43" N., Long. 75°52'33" W., a line running 149° True to the opposite shore Lat. 39°27'39" N., Long. 75°52'03" W.,] *at or near Lat. 39° 27.720' N., Long. 75° 52.570' W., then running 144° (True) to a point, at or near Lat. 39° 27.665' N., Long. 75° 52.518' W.,* and running to the head of the creek. This area has a minimum wake zone, all year.

.04 Great Bohemia Creek.

Great Bohemia Creek encompasses the area beginning at a point[Lat. 39°27'51.0" N., Long. 75°50'14.0" W., a line running 168° True to Lat. 39°27'47.5" N., Long. 75°50'13.0" W.,] *at or near Lat. 39° 27.865' N., Long. 75° 50.230' W., then running 171° (True) to a point, at or near Lat. 39° 27.753' N., Long. 75° 50.208' W.,* and running to the head of the creek. This area has a minimum wake zone, all year.

.05 Little Bohemia Creek.

Little Bohemia Creek encompasses the area beginning at a point [Lat. 39°27'16.0" N., Long. 75°51'09.2" W., a line running 195° True to Lat. 39°27'06.8" N., Long. 75°51'12.4" W.,] *at or near Lat. 39° 27.257' N., Long. 75° 51.150' W., then running 194° (True) to a point, at or near Lat. 39° 27.123' N., Long. 75° 51.192' W.,* and running to the head of the creek. This area has a minimum wake zone, all year.