

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE, FISHERIES, & PARKS

In Re: Suspension/Closure of Recreational Boating activity during temporary high water emergency.

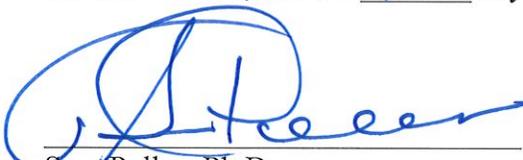
EXECUTIVE ORDER

PURSUANT to the authority set forth in MISSISSIPPI CODE ANNOTATED '59-21-111, the Executive Director of the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks, with the approval of the Commission, has ordered the suspension of all recreational boating activity on the lake or lakes listed below, due to emergency flooding and high water resulting from unusually heavy rainfall events. This suspension of privileges applies **ONLY** to recreational boating and not to any boating activity that must be employed for the safe transportation of persons to and from a home or dwelling or other legitimate purpose. Any boating activity during the suspension period shall be conducted in a reasonable manner, minimizing any wake created, or otherwise conducted to minimize any negative effects on surrounding property. The lake or lakes set forth below shall remain closed to recreational boating only, until further notice:

LAKE: Wolf Lake, Yazoo County, Mississippi

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the lake or lakes listed above shall be closed to recreational boating activity, in order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the general public, until further notice. Any boating shall be conducted according to a Dead Slow; Leave No Wake, standard. Failure to comply with this order may subject an individual to criminal liability.

SO ORDERED, this the 15th day of **January, 2020**.



Sam Polles, Ph.D.
Executive Director