Mr. Gahagan advised that at the April 22, 1997 meeting, Ordinance No.'s 1, 2 and 3 of 1997 were introduced but were deferred until such time as the full board was present. Mr. Powell distributed copies of the ordinances for discussion.

Mr. Gahagan advised that R. S. 34:3269 authorizes the Cane River Waterway District to adopt water traffic regulations notwithstanding the provisions of R. S. 34:851.27. Substantially similar laws adopted by the State Legislature authorized fines of not less than \$50 nor more than \$150 for each

On motion by Mr. Powell, seconded by Mrs. Brittain and carried Ordinance No. 2 of 1997 was adopted as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 2 OF 1997

NO WAKE ZONES ON CANE RIVER LAKE; PENALTIES.

- a. No person shall operate a watercraft on Cane River Lake within any area marked as a "No Wake Zone" such that the watercraft leaves a trailing wake that may be disruptive to other motor craft or to operate a watercraft within a No Wake Zone in such a manner as to endanger the life, limb or property of any person. Failure to obey the No Wake Zones on Cane River Lake shall constitute careless operation of a watercraft.
- Any person who violates this provision shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$150.

The above and foregoing ordinance was introduced at a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Cane River Waterway District, April 22, 1997; was thereafter read and adopted in full on May 20, 1997, the roll was called on the adoption thereof and the resolution was adopted by a majority of the total membership of the Cane River Waterway District voting in favor, all in accordance with the provisions of R. S. 34:3269 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Louisiana, the vote being as follows:

Yeas Gresham, Prudhomme, Brazzel, Brittain and Powell;
Nays None
Abstained None
Absent None

On motion of Mr. Powell, seconded by Mrs. Brittain and carried, Ordinance No. 3 of 1997 was adopted as follows, to-wit:

C.D. Brazzel, Jr. President