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Disposable Container Ordinance Information

THE NEW BRAUNFELS DISPOSABLE CONTAINER ORDINANCE NO. 2011-65 PROVIDES IN PART:

It shall be unlawful for anyone to use, carry or possess food or beverages in a disposable container on or in the public waters of the Guadalupe River or Comal River

and each person is limited to one (1) cooler in accordance with Subsection (a)(1).

Disposable container means a receptacle designed to be used once, then thrown away.

For purposes of this Subsection, disposable containers include, but are not limited to, metal and aluminum cans, glass containers, foam cups and containers, cardboard containers, paper sacks, boxes, paper napkins and towels, and plastic containers and utensils.

Any person who shall violate this provision shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500.00.

EXAMPLES

ALLOWED



NOT ALLOWED



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Personal Floatation Devices

Personal floatation devices will be provided to tubers/citizens free of charge with a deposit.

The personal floatation devices loaner station is located at the Prince Solms Tube Chute.

Inflatable Floatation Devices on the Comal River

- Limited to two (2) per person
- Round inflatable floatation devices shall not exceed five feet (5') in diameter
- If rectangular or another shape, no side can exceed five feet (5') in length

The term "Guadalupe River" means that portion of the Guadalupe River starting at the city limits upstream from the Gruene Bridge and ending at the Mill Dam.

THE NEW BRAUNFELS ORDINANCE 2012-9 RESTRICTING CERTAIN SIZED FLOTATION DEVICES ON THE COMAL RIVER PROVIDES IN PART:

On the Comal River, inflatable devices cannot exceed five feet in diameter if round; or, if they are rectangular or another shape, no side can exceed five feet in length. Inflatable devices on the Comal River are limited to no more than two per person. As used in this paragraph, the Comal River is defined as that portion of the Comal River, or the diversion of the Comal River that starts at the confluence with the Dry Comal Creek and ends at the confluence with the Guadalupe River.

Vessels or inflatable devices operated by or under the supervision of the city's police department or parks and recreation department are exempt from the provisions of this section.

The city will allow reasonable accommodations with regard to vessels or inflatable devices for individuals with disabilities or special needs.

Comal and Guadalupe River Definitions

The term "Comal River" means that portion of the Comal River or the diversion of the Comal River that starts at the confluence with Dry Comal Creek and ends at the confluence with the Guadalupe River.

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