DIVISION 4. LAKE AUBURN WATERSHED OVERLAY DISTRICT

Sec. 60-950. Purpose.

The Lake Auburn Watershed District is intended to maintain safe and healthful environmental conditions; prevent and control water pollution; protect spawning ground for fish, aquatic life, bird and other wildlife habitats; control building sites; provide visual and physical points of access to waters and natural beauty; and protect and maintain the present quality and volume of potable water supplied from the Lake Auburn Watershed to the population of the Auburn-Lewiston area.

(Ord. of 9-21-2009, § 5.3A)

Sec. 60-951. Boundaries and definitions.

The Lake Auburn Watershed District is that section of the city in which surface and subsurface waters ultimately flow or drain into Lake Auburn as such section is delineated on a watershed map and survey by the city water district on file in the office of the city water district, the city department of planning and permitting services and the city clerk. The Lake Auburn Watershed District shall be superimposed over underlying districts within such section. Permitted uses in the underlying districts shall continue subject to compliance with the provisions of the Lake Auburn Watershed District.

(Ord. of 9-21-2009, § 5.3B)

Sec. 60-952. Use and environmental regulations.

- (a) Agricultural uses. All uses of land for chicken farms, cattle farms, horse farms, egg farms, piggeries, sheep farms, stables, crop farming and other agricultural purposes shall be subject to the approval of the city water district. Such approval shall be granted upon a showing that such uses will not cause groundwater contamination or contaminate or disturb the normal course of surface water runoff.
- (b) <u>New Residential dwellings in the agriculture and resource protection zoning district are prohibited in the Lake Auburn Watershed</u>. Notwithstanding subsections 60-145(a)(1), 60-145(b)(18) and 60-146(1)(c), one-family detached dwellings are only permitted in the Lake Auburn Watershed District on parcels containing no less than ten acres, provided that the dwelling is accessory to farming operations and subject to the following restriction: at least 50 percent of the total annual household income of the farm occupants living in the farm residence will be derived from farm uses.

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