U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Visitor Survey

Dear Visitor,

On [XXXXXXXX] you completed a face-to-face survey during your visit to [XXXXXX]. If this is not correct please click here.

The survey is part of a national scientific research effort being conducted by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE). At that time, you agreed to participate in a short, web-based follow-up survey and provided your email address.

The web-based survey should take less than 11 minutes to complete, not all questions are asked of all visitors. If you have already completed one of these web-based surveys we thank you for being a frequent visitor to Corp's lakes. Since each visit is a little different, we would greatly appreciate if you would also complete the survey for the visit identified above.

The survey asks questions about the trip during which you visited the lake, including the activities in which you participated, and what you spent during the trip. This information will be used to estimate the economic impact and significance of USACE recreation areas. It is as important for us to know the percentage of folks that visit our lakes every day to walk their dog and have no large expenses associated with their visit as it is for us to know about the campers that spent 14 nights at the lake and contributed to the local economy.

Take the Survey

Please click on this link to complete the survey: Survey Link

Privacy Act Statement

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 1962-2, Congressional statement of objectives; 16 U.S.C. 460d, The Flood Control Act of 1944, as amended; 33 U.S.C. 652, Upper Mississippi River Management; 16 U.S.C. 460(L)(12)-460(L)(21), The Federal Water Project Recreation Act of 1965, as amended; 33 U.S.C. 2215, The Water Resources Development Act of 1986, as amended; 33 U.S.C. 2320, The Water Resources Development Act of 1990, as amended; Senate Document No. 97, 87th Congress., 2nd, Session. (1964): Policies, Standards, and Procedures in the Formulation, Evaluation, and Review of Plans for use and Development of Water and Related Land Resources; ER 1165-2-400, Recreational Planning, Development, and Management Policies; ER 1130-2-550, Recreation Operations and Maintenance Policies.

Purpose: The information you provide will be combined with other visitor's information to develop visitation and economic estimates and aid in project development and improvement. Your email address was requested as a means of sending you this follow-up survey to collect additional data about your visit and expenditures at this recreation area. Your email address will only be used by persons doing this survey.

Routine Use: Law Enforcement, Disclosure to the Department of Justice for Litigation, Data Breach Remediation Purposes, Disclosure of Information to the General Services Administration. For more details on these routine uses, visit http://dpcld.defense.gov/Privacy/SORNsIndex/Blanket-Routine-Uses/

Disclosure: Participation in this survey is voluntary and there are no penalties for refusing to provide any information. Your cooperation is important to ensure the completeness and accuracy of the statistical results. To safeguard the privacy of the participants, your email address will be immediately separated from the information you provide on the survey.

Agency Disclosure Statement

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PLEASE DO NOT RETURN YOUR RESPONSE TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS.

Responses not submitted via this online tool, should be sent to Recreation Use Survey, USACE-IWR-Casey Building, 7701 Telegraph Road, Alexandria VA, 22315.

Problems, Questions and Comments

The web-based survey was developed and is being managed in cooperation with the Recreational Marine Research Center at Michigan State University. The Office of Management and Budget reviewed and approved the survey. If you encounter any technical issues related to accessing or completing the survey, please contact us at rmrc@msu.edu. For more information about the overall research effort please visit www.CorpsLakes.us/VisitorSurvey. If you have comments and questions regarding this survey please contact the USACE Visitor Survey Project Manager, Meredith Bridgers at Meredith.Bridgers@usace.army.mil. For more information on Corps lakes visit www.CorpsLakes.us.

If you do not wish to take the survey and do not want to receive any reminder emails please click here.

Thank You

Thank you in advance for your willingness to participate in our survey.