

# BOAT SURVEY

(Personal Interview)

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1. Do you own a boat?  
 (Please mark one)     Yes     No

2. Do you own a boat registered in the State of \_\_\_\_\_?  
 (Please mark one)     Yes     No

IF YOU ANSWERED NO TO BOTH THE ABOVE, PLEASE RETURN THE QUESTIONNAIRE WITHOUT COMPLETING THE REMAINDER.

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3. Please describe the pleasure boats you own in the blanks provided below:  
 (Use the extra form if you have additional boats to describe.)

BOAT # 1:	BOAT # 2:
Length: _____ Ft. Draft: _____ Ft.	Length: _____ Ft. Draft: _____ Ft.
Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Cabin Cruiser <input type="checkbox"/> Canoe <input type="checkbox"/> Houseboat - (Pontoon Hull) <input type="checkbox"/> Houseboat - (Cruiser Hull) <input type="checkbox"/> Pontoon <input type="checkbox"/> Rowboat <input type="checkbox"/> Runabout <input type="checkbox"/> Sailboat <input type="checkbox"/> All Terrain Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Cabin Cruiser <input type="checkbox"/> Canoe <input type="checkbox"/> Houseboat - (Pontoon Hull) <input type="checkbox"/> Houseboat - (Cruiser Hull) <input type="checkbox"/> Pontoon <input type="checkbox"/> Rowboat <input type="checkbox"/> Runabout <input type="checkbox"/> Sailboat <input type="checkbox"/> All Terrain Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

4. Have you ever rented space for your boat at a marina for *one month or more*?  
 No     Yes

If YES... Are you *now* renting marina space for your boat?

No     Yes

If YES, on what lake/river? \_\_\_\_\_

5. How often did you boat at (PROJECT NAME) in (YEAR)?

(Please mark one response below)

- I have *never* boated at (PROJECT NAME)
- I did not boat at (PROJECT NAME) in (YEAR)
- 1-5 times in \_\_\_\_\_
- 6-10 times in \_\_\_\_\_
- 11-15 times in \_\_\_\_\_
- 16-20 times in \_\_\_\_\_
- 21 times or more in \_\_\_\_\_ (How often? \_\_\_\_\_ times in (YEAR))

6. In total, how many boating trips did you make in (YEAR) ?

\_\_\_\_\_ BOATING TRIPS

7. Please name the two places where you went boating most often in (YEAR) and the number of trips you made to each.

a.) BOATED MOST OFTEN AT: \_\_\_\_\_  
Lake/River  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
Nearest Town State

I BOATED THERE \_\_\_\_\_ TRIPS IN (YEAR).

b.) BOATED NEXT MOST OFTEN AT: \_\_\_\_\_  
Lake/River  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
Nearest Town State

I BOATED THERE TRIPS IN (YEAR).

8. Including yourself, how many people go with you on a *typical* boating trip?

\_\_\_\_\_ PEOPLE

We want to determine the economic feasibility of adding or improving marina facilities at Lake (PROJECT LAKE). To do this, we need to compare the number of slips people would rent with what it would require to operate the marina.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers manages Lake (PROJECT LAKE). The marina would be operated by a private business. A variety of goods and services related to boating would be offered, such as food, fuel, and boating supplies.

9. Would you consider renting a marina space at Lake (PROJECT LAKE), if a space were available for your boat?

- YES [Go to Q. 10]  
 NO [Mark One Box Below; Then Go to Q.15]

If you answered NO, would you ...

Use the launch ramps at Lake (PROJECT LAKE)?

Use rental marina space at another lake or river?

If so, where?

\_\_\_\_\_ Lake/River

Nearest Town

State

Use the launch ramps at another lake or river?

If so, where?

\_\_\_\_\_ Lake/River

Nearest Town

State

Other (What?) \_\_\_\_\_

10. Would you rent a *Mooring Buoy* at a marina on Lake (PROJECT LAKE) if it cost (\$ amount) per season?

YES  NO

11. Would you rent an *Open Slip* at a marina on Lake (PROJECT LAKE) if it cost (\$ amount) per season?

YES  NO

12. Would you rent a *Covered Slip* at a marina on Lake (PROJECT LAKE) if it cost (\$ amount) per season?

YES  NO

13. Would you rent *Dry Storage* for your boat at a marina on Lake (PROJECT LAKE) if it cost (\$ amount) per season?

YES  NO

14. If you were to rent marina space at Lake (PROJECT LAKE), which type would you prefer? (Mark Only One)

- MOORING BUOY
- OPEN SLIP
- COVERED SLIP
- DRY STORAGE

15. Please mark each of the goods or services that you purchased or rented during your *last* boating trip. (Mark All that Apply)

- BOAT LAUNCHING FEE
- RESTAURANT OR SNACK BAR
- GROCERIES
- BEER OR OTHER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
- BOAT FUEL
- BAIT, TACKLE, FISHING SUPPLIES
- BOAT AND/OR MOTOR RENTAL
- BOAT REPAIRS
- CAMPSITE, MOTEL, ETC.
- BOATING AND WATER SPORTS EQUIPMENT (WHAT?) \_\_\_\_\_

16. How old were you on your last birthday?

\_\_\_\_\_ YEARS OLD

-Thank You for Your Cooperation-