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## **Preface**

The following report contains visitor's open-ended responses to two statements placed at the end of the 1999 Missouri Madison Recreation Questionnaire:

*28a. Please use the space below for additional comments you have regarding the management of this site.*

*28b. Please use the space below for additional comments you have regarding your satisfaction with this site.*

Verbatim comments are organized by recreation site, and the sites are presented in alphabetical order. Management comments for every site are presented first, followed by satisfaction comments for every site. In addition to compiling full-length comments, all visitor's responses were coded to facilitate quantitative analysis. Coded comments are presented at the end of this report in tables 1 (visitor comments regarding management of the site) and 2 (visitor comments regarding satisfaction with the site). This report is one of four separate documents from the 1999 Missouri Madison Recreation Survey. The other three are:

Technical Completion Report 2000-1a. The 1999 Missouri Madison Recreation Survey: Results of the Study. Institute for Tourism and Recreation Research, The University of Montana, Missoula, MT 59812.

Technical Completion Report 2000-1b. Tables of Visitor Characteristics by Recreation Site. Institute for Tourism and Recreation Research, The University of Montana, Missoula, MT 59812.

Technical Completion Report 2000-1c. Analysis of Lewis and Clark Enthusiasts in the Missouri Madison Corridor. Institute for Tourism and Recreation Research, The University of Montana, Missoula, MT 59812.

For a full discussion of survey methodology and results, please refer to the full report - 1999 Missouri Madison Recreation Survey: Results of the Study.



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**Bakershole Campground**

OK

Very friendly and helpful.

The additional vehicle fee will cause me to think about staying here in the future and bringing my boat for use on the local lakes.

Boat - Motorhome - Truck

Camping & adequate sites can & should be available for more people. This can be easily accomplished without destroying our ecology. It just takes common sense, not a study or opinion by an over-educated person.

You could save money by having "one holed" toilets rather than men/women - than have more of them around campsites. Don't have campsites opposite of each other, more visual seperation - plant trees.

Clean

I think that this site is managed very well.

Ken and wife are pleasant, accomodating, and helpful. Keep area in good condition and are available if needed.

I'm sorry the USFS has turned over so many campgrounds to concessionaires. I'm glad they continue to use volunteer hosts.

I think you guys do a great job.

This is our first visit to the area. We have been very pleased. People are friendly and sites users were friendly.

Very good

The camp managers are very friendly and nice.

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It's fine.

Like the naturalness of the park.

From the perspective of a one-night stay, the management of this campground seems to be very satisfactory. The camp host was very pleasant and informative.

No problems

Good maintenance of campground, cleanliness of area, large campsite, nice campground, good host.

Camp hosts do an excellent job in overseeing and maintaining cleanliness of facility

Very nice. Will come back again with family. Campground host very nice and accomodating.

Very good.

Excellent site management by hosts. Always clean bathrooms, clean campsite, host aviable when needed. Outstanding campground!

Friendly host, environment very clean.

### **Bear Trap Canyon**

More hiking access.

Need trashcan at trailhead site.

Need to spray the knapweed; otherwise in good shape.

Weed control need- Spurge and Knapweed. Parking lot is too big.

I think the development in the area is satisfactory and pleasant. Any further development would constrict the essence. The maintenance is in fine order. Thank you.

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Looked good--not much change in last 20 years. That's good.

I like this site because of the river and the wildlife in the area.

Don't block 2 roads to keep off limits from camping. Those of us that enjoy back road camping w/o leaving any trace would like to enjoy the activity in the future.

Grade road!

I think this site is well managed.

Need to keep trail up river primitive and not improve. Keep Canyon as natural as possible. Control invasive species.

**Beaver Creek Fishing Access**

High level of impact not needed. Maybe some cottonwoods could be planted. Don't encourage camping. Keep it day use.

Leave as is!

Good management.

Earlier trips to area had outstanding Rainbow Trout fishing--fishing now very poor!

Leave it as is.

Beaver Creek needs to be kept free of anglers during the spawning season for trout around the time of May/early June. People are lined up on the stream and causing unneeded stress on the fish populations.

If this is rattlesnake country, there should be a big sign with details on dangers and what to do if attacked.



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Beaver Creek at Missouri River. Perfect. Isolated. No development, beautiful, unspoiled. Just what we were looking for.

Wish it had a boat ramp

**Black Eagle Overlook**

Excellent!

Very nice.

I feel this area is very well managed and a great place for families to go.

My family and I really enjoy this trail. We walk it a few times a week. It's great for us to bring us closer together.

Beautiful--Great Falls definitely needed something like this. I walk here usually every day.

Excellent.

Well done.

My husband and I try to walk the river walk every day. We love this place.

Thanks for the R and T.

I see nothing wrong with the way this site is handled.

Have been kayaking below Black Eagle Falls for 20 years. We have been trying for a safe access to the river WAVES for a long time. Now there are more people becoming involved in this sport the odds that someone will be hurt going down the cliff trails escalates each year. If this could be expedited, it might save someone a hospital stay or worse.

Off the main road- signs that car may stop to turn in to small parking lot.

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I think someone is taking good care of this trail.

Very good.

Site is River's Edge Trail South bank, Missouri near Black Eagle Falls. This survey is really not applicable.

Done a great job on limited funds. I believe most were privately funded projects.

Maybe start including some history of the railroad days and Anaconda days of the area. It beats my telling visitors that these are the remains of ancient civilizations of the Western world.

Outlaw dogs

It is a wonderful walking trail and we fell blessed to have it near our home. They can't to enhance it and it is very well managed.

Biking trail is great. Also really liked the Lewis and Clark Interpretation Center. Rental bikes should be more accessible near the River Road.

### **Black Sandy SRA**

Maybe enforce safety rules for power boats, water skiers and jet skiers. Some of them were dangerous.

No problems

Fix the road.

The camp tender has been very courteous and helpful with accommodations.

This has always been a nice place. But the fees are a disgrace to the people that work and pay taxes to support public land (no such thing here). It's like rent.

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Management followed the rules, but the rules are unfair:  
1. Check out time is 2:00, most people I know don't leave until dark. 2. We had to pay for each car, when all of them fit in the camping site that we had already paid for. 3. One time I came to this site at 7 p.m. just to enjoy the view, BBQ ( on my own), and eat. I left about one and a half hrs. later and had to pay \$4. That is ridiculous, especially since the picnic table was filthy dirty. Also there are bees everywhere.

Campground host needs to be polite, explain why rules are what they are.

This site seems to be well taken care of & clean.

I feel that the locals should not have to pay a fee to use the site. We feel that outsiders should pay a fee.  
I will not give out any personal info. This is a survey to find out how well these sites are, not to find out about how many people are poor or rich. It's not a loan--it is a survey for our recreation areas.

Very good.

Camp host needs to be available; we went to buy a state park passport according to his posted hours, and couldn't locate host until much later.

management is a little pushy about collecting the daily fees and where to park your boat trailer. All campsites were not taken at this time and the boat trailers had to be moved.

Camp host doesn't seem very available.

Black Sandy is very nicely done. I personally do not like to camp in developed areas and came here today solely to use the boat ramp.

Since they have limited the sites for camp trailers and improved the boat ramp, Slack Sandy has been so much more pleasant to go to.



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2 mothers with children were picnicking at a camping site--all other sites were used, some closed for regrowth. There were many camping sites still open. They were told they couldn't use the site for just a picnic. I could understand if the camping areas were full or nearly so. But they weren't. The girls picked up their picnic & children and left. I felt badly about that incident.

Put it back to the way it was in '81. The fishing was great! Not so many fucking people who need all the ship you put in!

O.K.  
Good hosts.

Improving.  
Kept up.

Very overdeveloped. Fish and hunting monies spent on this are wrong! Buy more access to lake. Do not develop.

Loud music allowed at night last 3 visits.  
Upper boat trailer parking only allows for a few trailers and autos because of paving format.

Need more space for parking P/U & trailers for day use. Spot between campground and store, need to angle park instead of parallel parking. Don't have enough room for very many trailers & P/U.

Good management.  
Bad enforcement.

Need to segregate the boat trailer parking from the auto parking.

Great place, well maintained!

Had a good fishing trip the fish.

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Too many people coming and going without paying. Letting people fish at night and not coming in at the proper time. They fish longer and no one checks their catch. I really would like night fishing closed off. Hope I don't sound too negative, but its just that after coming to Black Sandy for so many years, we certainly see the changes.

Stop all night fishing, the Salmon are over fished.

Too much dust from road while camping. Could pave.

Well done.

\$8 per night would be more appropriate, \$12 is excessive!

Managed well.

Place is clean.

Nice area.

Rules on campsite occupation is not clear. Should specify number or people, tents, etc. allowed per site.

Enjoyed camp host.

Fine

I feel that the prices for the use of these parks are too high. I stay at private places, with all facilities for the same money that is charged here. There could also be some spots with elect so the annoying generators con't have to be used.

Great and very friendly people.

Need dust control, poorly designed campsite, some sites under water after storms. No shade covering over picnic tables. Need more day use parking and campsites. Walleye were planted in lake, because of walleyes group, which will leave basically one type of fish - walleye. Some of us like other types of fish - trout, salmon, perch, etc.

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Control of dust on the road in front of campground. The way the walleye groups have introduced the control of what fish are being planted in the lake, they eat the other fish. Some of us still enjoy fishing for trout, salmon, and perch.

Would be nice to have a phone booth at the site.

Very pleasant and enforces the rules of the camp site.

Black top road

I really like everything about it.

Need to keep the weeds and brush cut down, because of snakes. Need better water for drinking - need more water stations. You need to police the people for day passes better than youdo. There should be a day place other than people tying up a camp, sit for a picnic. I also think you did a wrong by planting walleyes in this lake. They eat all the other fish. You let the power clubs get their way (Walleye clubs).

You have improved Black Sandy immensely! Thanks! I have seen great improvement to all of the recreation sites the BOR has & state has in this vicinity! Handicapped people are using these sites & like it!

Paid for two nights - two sites, seven people (said we were allowed six per site). Had visitor for 30 minutes (5 people) they received ticket for \$9. Technically they could be here for fees we paid if even only 30 minutes. Ranger was rude to person trying to discuss this with him.

Greatly improved maintenance of are in last two years.

Seems to be OK.

**Blacks Ford**

Boat launch needs a little improvement.





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Very enjoyable. Safe and clean.

Leave it alone.

**Broadwater Bay Park**

More trees.

Wish River's Edge Trail could continue along river instead of crossing the road and going around the Tribune & Mitchell Pool to cross back over road.

Would like to see more picnic areas by the boat launch.

Clean up of garbage later on this summer could increase.

Is great and would like more water fountains. Thanks.

Good.

The summer of '98 we encountered the boat launch to be VERY crowded. Approx. 1/2 of the "Vehicle w/ Trailer" parking slots, which are indicated w/ white lines and marked by a sign are used by vehicles who do not have boat trailers. Great Falls Police Dept. said they will not enforce proper parking due to parking being so limited for cars. This for us is frustrating because we then have to park illegally in the empty field across the road. Also, the pier is often used to swim from and boat and wader/swimming encounters are often and dangerous. We also have noticed MANY drunk boat operators. This whole area is an accident waiting to happen.

Need to enforce flags in boats so when someone goes down other boats can see them

Great!

Ugly field full of gopher's. Trash everywhere.

Beautiful, peaceful, clean, fun.

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It's very (illegible).

Thanks for letting our dogs run!

Need more trees and parking along the grass

It's OK to be here, it's peaceful.

We should be able to swim off dock. Sand. Get rid of glass.

Put in a snack stand.

A little broken glass near water.

Broken glass.

### **Building Destruction Site**

Well maintained!

I have visited the earthquake into twice before and have enjoyed each visit.

Friendly and helpful.

We were amazed at the tourists approaching bear, moose, elk, and bison within several feet. Usually with children in tow. Couldn't believe the disregard for animals space, no wonder accidents occur between humans and wildlife. Loved the park, will definitely return but hope it doesn't get ruined by human's disregard for nature.

The site that we met the representatives of your survey was at the remains of the Earthquake. We didn't stay long in this area but went on to Missoula and then Glacier. Our experiences were positive and we could easily relocate from Utah to Montana. Every where we went the people were great and the scenery breathtaking.

### **Cabin Creek Campground**

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Pretty clean & well kept.

Chuck and Nancy do a great job.

I cannot emphasize enough the importance of campers' quiet time and so on. We have been very unhappy about people coming around early in the morning to collect money. We like to sleep in while camping. Then having people trying to collect more than the fees that are posted is unacceptable. Please look into doing something about these people. We are certainly not going to skip out as that money should be used to keep this place beautiful as we like to see it.

What happened to the bridge?

Everything looks great! It's very clean and extremely well maintained.

It's pretty.

Spiffy job!

Having a "campground host" who is not physically present on site just seems like an excuse to charge a higher camping fee. There was no difference in cleanliness, maintenance and security between this site and ones with no host (but lower fees).

Excellent facilities. Restrooms kept clean.

Thank you!

Nice that it's left open in the fall for anglers.

Managed well!

Very nice area!

**Campfire Lodge Resort**

Been coming here for 13 years because of the management.

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B.J. is very nice.

Excellent. Campfire Lodge is clean, friendly and a great place to visit.

Great

We love it here. The management has been wonderful

Campfire Lodge Resort employees are very kind and friendly.

Excellent.

Under this mgmt. I have seen cabins restored, bathrooms upgraded, laundry facilities added. New & improved shower houses for men & women, a game room and a REAL restaurant with good cooking.

Cabins are very clean & yet the ambience has not been disturbed. All remodels & changes have been done to still preserve and enhance the majestic, natural surroundings. Decks added onto cabins are a MAJOR plus, whether with family or not.

Site management exceptional. Very friendly, add to my enjoyment by expressing a feeling of personal attention. Maintenance and continuing improvements to site ensure continued enjoyment & satisfaction.

Well managed.

Friendly, helpful, and nice.

Has steadily improved over the 40 years, we have enjoyed the facility.

Very good.

Enjoyed, thanks.

**Carter Ferry**

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Lack of area.  
Too many boats.

Keep the Ferrys open.

Well managed

Don't prevent power boats from using the river.

### **Causeway Fishing Access**

A nice addition might be a rain shelter.

It's fine.

Fish and game could plant more fish.

If there is a fee for camping, then there should be garbage cans!

FWP officer was very friendly.

This site needs to be kept clean.

The site is great, I left my fishing license in Lolo.  
Therefore I cannot fish.

Bad rule!

Change it!

Thanks! Have a great day! (Smiley face)

Clear the north side of causeway of weeds and level for wheel chairs.

Site is maintained well but could use more campgrounds and would like to see walleye fishing improve.

Less management means more freedom.

I like this site, I wish people would keep it cleaner. Needs garbage cans.

Need bee management. 2 of us were stung.

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Please consider putting a buoy from the point on the north side to the opposite bank and creating a no-wake zone in the cove area. It would be so much more peaceful for fisher persons and for residents. Also, there is total disregard for the 15 mph speedlimit across the causeway. With the summer crowds there are many kids and pets at risk. Perhaps speed bumps would slow the inconsiderate down.

To make causeways more user friendly.

I fish alone and only fish in this area because it is convenient for me. Nothing in this survey fits my idea of fishing. The real reason I fish in this area (causeway) is because it is open space, close to residential area, if I need help, it is easy to get. The mangement should create a speed bump in the area to reduce risks of accidents from crazy drivers.

Canyon Ferry: too many jet skis and boats with no courtesy for others.

More fish.

Informative signs about the old pillars in the water & informative signs on the development of the Causeway area.

Fisheries management is poor. Water seems dirtier than it should be. Lots and lots of people use this site, the park is well kept but the bank of the causeway is trashy and could be cleaned up.

**Cherry Creek  
Campground**

I would hope there wouldn't be any more development

The whole time I was there I feared that if I returned in a year or so I would find lots of development to accommodate cars and motor boats. Please don't accommodate cars--accommodate humans and, more importantly, the animals that live there. Thanks.

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Campsites should be spread out more!

The site at the campfire lodge resort was wonderful. The owners of the café were very nice and pleasing. The scenery was beautiful. I intend to return to Montana often for vacations in the future.

### County Park

Basic maintenance, garbage containers or "pack out" enforcement. General cleanliness.  
More law enforcement of jetski operators or boaters under the influence of alcohol and irresponsible--reckless operation of their watercraft.

It should be marked where it is shallow.

The site is usually very well kept and nature is able to be nature.

Need more places to camp without fees.

Would like to see this site become an overnight facility w/ NO other improvements made. Let's leave it natural.

Everything was fine and how you would expect it to be, but people can ruin it by being rude. Thank you for your concern and the time to do this.

Avoid overdevelopment.

### Crooked Falls Overlook

Trail's Edge has done a great job & their future plans to provide protection of this area is well thought out.

In general, less management and less development are better. Because of the L&C connection, more interpretative info would help people learn more about L&C, but without significant compromise to natural features.

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Very good management.

Good.

nice site.

Preserve it. Don't develop it. It is precious and special.

**Departure Point Day  
Campground**

I think management of this site is exceptional. I really think camping fees are expensive for not having shower facilities. If they had them I wouldn't mind paying \$8-\$12/night.

It was very well managed and kept up.

Feel management ample.

I had no problem with management of site, and, although I have no particular attachment to this place, there are very few places in MT where you can go to swim, camp, and hike all in one place. It would be a shame if I was unable to come back.

Did the fellow that was caretaker here for years and years retire? The place is a mess- toilets never cleaned once while we were here, dandelions and weeds taking over the place, picnic tables broken down and in need of paint.

Trash cans should be provided & maintained in fee area camp & picnic sites.

It's not that I have a problem with private development along the water. I feel it should not be allowed any where near the vicinity of the lake, hidden or otherwise.

**Devil's Elbow**

Need barriers to prevent deterioration from motor bikes, four wheelers, etc.



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**Dispersed - East side  
Beartrap Road**

This site really needs a good cleaning.

Need Blacksford boat ramp improvements, otherwise it's clean, relatively uncrowded, and fun.

We like to come floating, and we enjoy not having anyone else by our campsite. It's nice to see other floaters and other users, but we like to camp by ourselves.

**Dispersed - West US84**

Camper trash on bank sides.

We are pleased. It's early in the summer so we had plenty of room.

**Dispersed sites from Giant  
Springs to Rainbow**

Terminate admission fees to Giant Springs. Was a bad idea in the beginning, and it still is.

The area I use regularly is portions of the Rivers Edge Trail from where it is crossed by Giant Springs Road on the west to Crooked Falls Overlook on the east. Also the old county road (closed) along the Missouri River above Giant Springs State Park. I am generally satisfied with the overall management of the area considering the several agencies and groups involved.

Fine.

**Earthquake Area  
Interpretive Site**

Good management. Professional guide.

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the fishing has changed a lot, I've been visiting this area with my family since I can remember and its steadily gotten harder to fish the river. Bait fishing has basically been destroyed, and that is how most young fishermen start fishing is with bait. The river will soon be a lure only river, and I won't take my kids to fish there anymore.

**El Dorado Bar Mine Inc.**

Just love the management!

The place is falling apart, restrooms not maintained, no shaded areas, trees in lower campgrounds ready to fall down, beach area not maintained, no drinking water available.

New hosts are very friendly and do a great job of keeping facilities clean and tidy.

Friendly--always want everyone to have a good time

Management was very cooperative in wanting us to be successful in sapphire hunting.

Good, helpful operation.

Better bathrooms and showers. Campground needs upgrade.

Mgt. Of El Dorado Bar sapphire mine is excellent.

**Fall Creek**

Well done.

Get the land owners to allow more access through their property & quit treating trespassers with threats & guns.

**Fort Benton Boat Launch**

Prohibit power boating on the river

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**Gates of the Mountains,  
Inc.**

Appropriate.

This site (Fort Benton) is very nice with the showers available at the pool.

Fine. Put more TP in city park.

Seems excellent.

Looks good--keep it friendly & open to Montanans.

It's been great!

Okay!

They do an excellent job. Very friendly and helpful.

I have always been completely satisfied with the management of this facility. I can really recommend it to any friend or visitors.

The Gates of the Mountains area is managed well.

The gal who gave the historical commentary was great.

Mt. Power cares more about money than preserving the banks, fish, feeding beds. They could use coufers to back up the dam during repair. Instead will lower lake next month and destroy fish.

Please preserve for future generations.

This site is very well managed; very clean and well kept.

I feel the facilities are very well taken care of. The bathrooms etc. are the cleanest ones on the lake.

Perhaps provide maps and more info. on Mann Gulch fire.

Nice, clean site.

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Abundance of knapweed.

If we don't do more to fight our own noxious weed problem, we will be losing not only our habitat and then the wildlife, but also any tourism that goes along with them.

I read in the paper that there was not much notice given to the businesses operating on the river for when they lower the water level to fix the dam. It will greatly affect these businesses. If this were well managed more effectively, then everyone is well served.

Clean, well taken care of.

Campsite well managed, very clean.

Gates of the Mtns.--Great trip--beautiful to see. Skipper informative with a great sense of humor.

Quality facilities. Nicely maintained. More interpretive material would be great.

Well managed.

Easy access, clean.

Friendly hostess or park personnel.

Very happy with the quality of the site.

I find historical things interesting, especially about my own country. I have read about the Rocky Mountains all my life and I was really thrilled to see them and meet some of the people from Montana. Thank you so much for your time and information.

Satisfied, enjoyed the area.

Very well

The last time I was here there seemed to be more garbage lying around. Now the campground is clean and ready for visitors.

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Great place to visit. The guide was extremely informative. Really enjoyed visiting Helena, Great Falls and Gates of the Mountains.

Would like to see more wildlife.

Snack bar should have remained opened for final return of boat.

The boat trip from upper Holter to lower Holter is beautifully scenic. The east side, however, is now posted for no bank camping from a boat and that is a tragedy!

Have tours for adults only.

As I said before, the wedding seemed kind of strange. I certainly didn't object to it, but at the time only one boat was there and we were wondering if we were all going together or what.

Managed very well. I've never had a disturbing experience with rowdy hooligans, like so many other state parks (ie. Canyon Ferry and Hauser).

Very nice site--better food service would be desirable--had 45-minute wait & food limited.

Montana is truly God's country. Keep it as clean and quiet and interesting as long as you can.

Friendly, courteous, good.

It was very enjoyable and driver of the boat was very informative and spoke nice and polite.

Keep Montana natural. Your site has a ruggedness to it that makes it seem more real. Whoever manages this site should endeavor to keep it this way.

Coldn't find Vista Point, sign is misleading. Arrows should be angled. Picnic area was clean but looked barren because of all the trails. Took boat tour 25 yrs ago, much better this time.

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Good

The boat club is rather pushy to outsiders and tourists and they do a lot of complaining regarding boaters who permanently dock there.

I hope the Hilger Boat Co. is paying for the maintenance and development of this site.

Trail markers with distance would be helpful. The one at the top of the Mann Gulch trail had been removed.

The site seemed well managed, clean & attractive.

This is a beautiful site--please don't entice too much business into the state. We don't want you to end up like California.

Gates of Mtns. Is nice to take a group that wants a low-key, non-strenuous outdoor experience. Very well kept, clean and overall nice place to visit.

Generally the management of this site is good. However I do believe that ove use of the water ways by recreational activities, could degrade the site and spoil the obvious beauty of the area.

I would hope it does not become "over managed" too many tours- too many advertisements, etc.

Ban Jetskis.

It looks OK to me, as a first time visitor.

**Giant Springs Heritage State Park**

Just fine.

Time change--everything costs \$.

Fee use of site inappropriate.

**Site**                                    **Comments regarding the management of this site**

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You need the snack bar open.

For the past two summers we have walked all the way here for sno-cones and the concession stand is never open.

Disappointed hatchery not open! Should have been posted at pay station!

Shore areas along entire river bank need to be kept cleaner - too much trash.

Kept clean

Excellent

Very nice.

This site needs some more seating especially for the disabled.

Very neat, tidy, well-groomed & quite lovely. Enjoyable!

Looks good.

Site well maintained, nice picnic area, clean grounds.

It's beautiful!

OK

I was terribly disappointed with the fee implementation.

The people that work the site are extremely friendly and well informed.

Well kept, clean. Close to home.

OK.

Keep it natural.

Found the site to be extremely clean and staff very friendly.

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Would like to see this area opened up to the general public with greater interest of usage by families, etc. Many thaks for its beauty and care.

The girl at the gate, Jill, was very pleasant in answering my questions about the area.

Very nice. I will have to bring my children here.

Loved both.

Sorry hatchery not open! Should have been posted at pay station!

The fact that the fish hatchery was not open should have been posted at pay station!

### Hauser Dam

Sometimes the dam is closed to walking across. I would like to have anumber or something to call to be notified of construction on the dam.

Please, no more development.

I miss the days when a man could take a sleeping bag and lantern and catch his limits of trout in a few hours. The night restrictions in place below Hauser Dam have really taken the fun out of fishing there.

Walleye slot limit too restrictive

Clean, quiet, we enjoyed the day.

I am very pleased with Montana Power Company for allowing public access to the river below Hauser Dam. It is my favorite place to fish near Helena, and I would be extremely unhappy if public access was denied. It is one of the big reasons I live here.



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There should be more game wardens checking fishermen, and more management regarding people leaving their trash along the trails. I've noticed campfires along the trails and they are never cleaned up.

I would like to see year round hunting and fishing at this site.

MPC should undertake efforts to control knapweed, thistle, mullen and other weeds in this area.

The fishing has gone down hill in the last 20 years.

Need somebody to keep an eye on the dam kayakers who go right up to the bottom of the dam! They are idiots. An accident will happen.

I hope the new owners of the M.P.C. property don't shut down access to this fishing site!

**Hebgen Dam Day Use Area**

Enjoyed! Absolutely beautiful. Seems to be managed well.

Fine.

We were all pleased with the Kirkwood facility. The management is very friendly and are making many new improvements.

**Hebgen Lake Interpretive Site**

Too much shoreline development.

**Hebgen Lake Motel & Campground**

Everything is very clean and cozy. Very friendly staff. Good beer and excellent food.

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Our parks need better care. We spend our money out of country & our national park infrastructure is a problem. There are so many fly fishermen. We should improve water quality & VOLUME (Big Horn) (Clark Fork) (Big Hole). Feds should buy more land--it won't get cheaper & nothing but this land will be left for future generations.

**Historic Train Exhibit/Rivers Edge**

As a walker & biker I sometimes like to cut through the Giant Springs area. I don't feel it is necessary to charge an entry fee, unless I plan to stay there and use the facility for picnicking, etc.

Totally unhappy about user fees, Giant Springs.

Perhaps a couple of shelter-covers could be added to the extreme east end of the trail. Currently there are none. Should it rain briefly, the shelters would be welcome. Also, they'd provide a nice respite from the sun on a hot day.

Better dog etiquette

It's a nice place.

Great management. They continue to improve each year.

Good.

Very clean.  
 Very well maintained.  
 Suitable for everyone.  
 Continually updated.

Continue work on the trail, it is Great Falls' BEST park. It surpasses Giant Springs, Gibson, etc.

Doing a good job.

Site is very well managed and cared for.

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Good.

Well kept. Beautifully landscaped.

Very well managed and maintained.

Great management, great site.

All of the staff we asked questions of were helpful.

Managed very well. Doug Wicks has done a wonderful job.

**Holter Dam**

Should be a motor size restriction on the river from the dam down stream to Dearborn.

If you charge to fish here we will not come again.

Camping prices are too high. Residents shouldn't have to pay as much as out of staters, as we already pay taxes year round.

There should be a garbage can by Holter Dam somewhere, people leave trash all over.

Restricted catch limits decrease appeal of traveling to site.

This was the 4th of July weekend. The site was packed. With all the beautiful places in Montana, I don't know why people would camp 30 feet apart. When I got there at 9 a.m., there was no one fishing within 200 yds of the dam. That was all I was concerned about.

Facility was clean, not much litter.

Additional roadside parking for more river access below the dam.

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This site is becoming overcrowded with guides during prime fishing time. So are the ones toward the dam. I don't have an answer, except to develop new sites in other nearby areas with river access.

Just fine.

### Holter Dam Campground

The management is fine and agreeable.

Could use more places to fish from shore without having to wade in the water or if you have kids. Better places to park and let kids fish.

Seems fine.

I believe that all involved with this site and others like it do a wonderful job and should be applauded. Continuing to protect and preserve our natural resources will insure years of enjoyment.

Thanks, (Name)

Keps bathroom very clean

A few more trees around camping area would be nice. No new development!

Good enough.

Great to have on site managers last year. Need to have grass and weeds out down by Memorial Day weekend. Over all management is ok. Floaters need to use road instead of cutting through campground. Slow them down, it raises a lot of dust.

It's run OK.

Very nice well maintained sometimes get crowded not very quiet today.

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There has been a lot of improvement over the last few years. The managers treat everyone the same.

His hands are tied because of the garbage and trash situation.

The camp host does a very good job.

The present brush areas and backwater are important for fowl and deer; several types of birds and deer lay and birth around campground in brush area.

Management was great! No one going around bothering the public. Camp was kept clean by the campers. Mostly this site is a pack it out site and most campers complied. The fee of \$4 per night was adequate for the few services supplied.

Some people are staying longer than 14 days per month.

The rules are not clearly posted for this campground. People push there way in between campers if they think there is enough room for another spot. We would also like to see electric hookups.

Campsites are not clearly marked. Some campers wish to occupy several spaces to the exclusion of others. Space is limited and the opportunity for use should be equitable. Sign states \$4.00 per vehicle, per night. Some campers have RV, tow vehicles, and boat. They should pay for each vehicle.

Management-site well cared for by one man. He doesn't seem to have the respect of the local guides when he tries to get them to limit speed through the camping area. They have a nearby road and turnaround but don't use it. They may run over a child's pet in their haste.

Good.

Holter Lake Dam to Craig bridge catch and release only.

It has improved a great deal since our first visit in '93.

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Very Good

I think this site is managed very well. I would like to see the campground rules enforced better.

As I stated, sites should be opened more to give width to each site. That would allow for parking of more than one vehicle or a boat & vehicle. Kmart parking lot we park close, we shouldn't expect the same at a camp site.

Thank you.

The campground host Tom was very friendly and helpful in every way. Restroom and grounds clean and neat. Trash containers would be a help. Look in the bushes outside camp and you will see where a lot of trash is going. People with pets need to be told to keep on leash and clean up after them. If they won't comply, they should be asked to leave.

Couldn't have a better manager. Restrooms are pleasure to use, campground spotless--great hands-on person. Pay-power would be great.

### Holter Lake Campground

Very good

Seems to be well run.

The areas for parking of boat trailers with vehicles are very inadequate. Many times there is no parking, because cars with no trailers are parked in trailer spots. I also feel that Montana residents should not have to pay to launch a boat. We pay fees on our boats, trailers and vehicles. Since we do have to pay, we should be offered a seasonal pass for a fair price, maybe \$10.

We have been well treated by the campground host.

Well managed. Good scenery.

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The times we have been here they have been helpful and friendly.

I believe this campground with the docks and the ramp has to be one of the finest facilities in Montana

I think the facility is being managed (illegible).

Restrooms are clean but our smallest granddaughter was afraid of falling in. Outside spigot had bad leak. A water shortage would be bad news.

The management is just fine. Seem to be nice people.

We have a tent & every evening I smell the bathroom.

I feel it's a shame the way this area has been neglected. The grounds used to be kept green. I also feel fire wood should be available in one single location for whoever would use it.

Water the grass & trees.

Friendly, always nice & polite.

The trees are in trouble because of no water, also the grass has been brown all summer.

Zero enforcement of 24-hour unoccupied campsite rule. Campers are not disconnecting hoses from shared water spigots.

Jet skis were in the boat docks. Need shallow water docking for them.

They need to control the campers that put their campers in here and then go home and come back 3 or 4 days later. They tie up all the campsites and aren't here.

They are doing a great job.

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The campground manager is generally unavailable. The grass is way too long & needs mowed on the upper end of the campground. In three summers, we haven't seen the campground manager once. I don't know if that is good or bad.

Very good.

Too many spots are saved for other people for week-ends. Great Falls Rule the Roost. If they make rules all should abide by them. People from county #2 leave boats, tents, trailers, etc. and leave them unattended for days. Please find a manager that will enforce the rules.

Contact with management has always been satisfactory.

We feel that the rule about not leaving your site for more than 24 hours should be enforced. We came on Tuesday morning and there were at least 7 sites that had campers, boats or larger rigs in them but no people were around until Friday. This is unfair and should be stopped.

Poor - very low level of maintenance.

Poor- management / supervision of BLM rules / regulations.

Poor- lake / boat control / management

It is very difficult to get a campsite other than in parking lot as people save places for others.

I have come to Holter every summer for the past 8 years, nothing has been improved or changed in those years. I would really like to see better restroom facilities.

More night time muted lighting.

Very nice and well managed site. Excellent!

Ban barking dogs.



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We love this campground but rarely find a spot here & have to go to "Log Gulch" which is not as pleasant but the 3-hour drive is too far to turn around & go home again--so we endure.

We were all very satisfied with the place.

For day use, might be helpful to have a few more garbage cans. The one tends to get very full. A pay phone on site may come in handy.

Can't make reservation for campsite. 1st come 1st serve--is a big site.

As good as expected. We all need to work together to make these special places better.

Haven't seen any management, so no comment.

Good.

Dump station for RV's.

Great. Please restrict boat ramp between 10:00 pm and 7:00 am, midnight boat loading is not conducive to a good attitude with other campers.

It's clean and well maintained--thank you.

We are comfortable here. We just want a dump station.

Grounds used to be kept better.

One suggestion: During high-use times in the middle of summer, we feel it would be helpful to have a water patrol on the lake. We have seen so many instances of dangerous boaters and some of the stupid things they do. If a few citations were given it would give extra income for upkeep and possibly prevent horrible accidents from happening!

- 1) Need to have showers in restrooms.
- 2) This site is swarming with ants, really need to spray.

**Site** **Comments regarding the management of this site**

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Here to recreate, not for history.

Apply rules to all campers and BLM sites consistently.

Mow the grass!

Need fire pots an boat docks

Overall good. Have had no problems. Manager is not meddling or intrusive.

It sucks!

Seems OK to me.

Up until 3 yrs ago the mgr. was 24 hrs and maintained the campground perfect. Now there is a camp host that does nothing but ski and play, the part time manager doesn't seem to do too much either. Fireworks are not to be here but if no one is here to monitor it they will do it. Quiet time is after 10:00 and should be enforced a little better. The lawns should be watered instead of letting them dry up. Too many people stay more than 14 days and save campsites for others. Need more boat docks. Showers would be nice. Need to stock more fish.

I've been coming here for over 6 years, I really miss the organization that having a camp manager with authority provides. Rules and regulations are neglected or ignored without one.

They're doing the best they can.

Excellent site, but too far from nearest RV dump site. This is basically an RV site and has been developed accordingly. A lot of older / retired folks with motorhomes / RV's use it- yet there is no place to dump without loosing your site or without driving too far. Showers would be nice too.

Well managed. Difficult to deal with so many people on the weekends though.

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The 2nd camping or better known as Log Gulch gets some pretty rowdy people in it. It's kind of scary sometimes. One time 3 years ago someone got drunk & was driving around in the middle of the night where tents were set up. It's really noisy & big parties go on all night.

The new (2 year) manager does not keep the grass cut as in previous years. At present, 20 Jun 1999, it is 2 feet high in places (good for rattlesnakes!).

### Holter Lake Lodge

I have been coming to Holter Lake for the past 15 years to fish with my father-in-law. They had lived in Great Falls for more than 30 years and frequently fished Holter with many happy memories of all the silvers and trout they caught.

It is now our yearly trip since they have moved to California to return to Holter to fish each June. You have done a good job managing the fisheries. Need to increase silvers.

Again, this was just an afternoon trip (of several hours) to get away from Helena, following a 2-day meeting. The lake & facilities were well kept. I wish we would have had more than just an hour for lunch!

It's fine.

Good.

I wish they would finish paving the road all the way to log gulch. It has been many years since they started to do this but they have yet to finish.

More attention needs to be paid to maintenance of area (docks, steps, grounds keeping).

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Have not used public sites for last 5 years. Non available space upon arrival was a problem. Then the overcrowding of facilities. Worry about not having a boat slip. Rush at launch site to load & unload. Rented RV site and boat slip at Holter Lodge 5 years ago to relieve stress of public facilities.

**Horse Butte Lookout  
Picnic Site**

Do not allow any more developments in this area.

Horse Butte area - slow down or limit the development of residences. Remove snowmobiling in the winter and stock (cows) in the summer months.

**Indian Trail Marina**

Very good management.

Seems to be fairly well managed.

**Kirkwood Picnic Site**

Great people at Quake site. Nice folks at stops on Hebgen. Look for nice people in Ennis. Clean grounds around Lake Hebgen are appreciated. Thanks.

Restrooms and garbage receptacles needed or signs indicating pack in/pack out for garbage. Also some areas indicate no overnight camping along shoreline of Hebgen Lake, but it's not clear at other areas. Signs indicating this would be beneficial. Cement boat landing and paved parking lot for vehicles with boats would be beneficial along north shoreline for public usage (free).

**Kirkwood Ranch Motel  
and Marina**

We are disappointed that mobile homes are scattered around the hillside among such incredible natural beauty.

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This is a very nice boat launch site, but I feel \$7 is a little high to use their boat launch. Kirkwood boat launch is not a public boating area. It is private at work at best. I think that Montana Power and the State of Montana should build a nice public boat launching recreational site with camping overnight authorized. Funding could come from Montana State fishing license fees. Location near Kirkwood boat launch. Do it right.

I really don't know anything about the management. We just stopped here on our way to fish to meet up with our guides. I consider my "site" to be the Fire Hole Ranch and the places we fished. The firehole management is incredible- what a fabulous retreat! Everything was perfect.

Satisfactory.

Firehole Ranch is the best managed fishing ranch in the state of Montana.

### **Kobayashi Beach**

I have visited this site for 40 years and very little has changed, which I like, except for a bathroom facility. Many have enjoyed this recreational site.

I like the lack of development here. I dislike the no trespassing signs.

It's Great!

Another outhouse would be nice. Most people are good, easy to get along with, and friendly.

Better signage off of 287N to reach public beach area.

I think the beach needs more attention, like cleaning.

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This beautiful sand beach should be reserved for non-motorized recreation. Jet-skis and water skiers right on the beach are dangerous to bathers and the noise is offensive to the site. This is the only area for miles and miles to bathe. There are other places to launch water craft.

This is basically an unimproved site, and should be left as such.

Road to site needs to be repaired and maintained. Pave road.

MPC is doing a good job.

Beach needs to be cleaned or swept periodically. Large trailer or 5th wheelers should not be allowed. Eliminate fire rings.

I like it as an unimproved site.  
We help out picking up garbage, etc., and wish others would too.  
Overall I am very satisfied.

I wouldn't want any more done to this campsite. I would like to see it as is.

The same folks seem to utilize the only site that you could launch your boat in.

If it's not broke, don't fix it! Most people take care of this place. We try to pick up the messes of those who don't. We see people of all ages & financial means able to enjoy equally.

### **Lake Shore Lodge**

Very well managed--could have perhaps better insect control.

Great trip-love Montana.

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Excellent.

Great--that's why we came back for a second year.

2.5 mile road from 287 very rough for RV travel.

Excellent and friendly

Very nice.

They do a great job.

Would not like to see the area taken over by government or tree huggers. Keep privately owned.

Well managed. Friendly. Receptive to ideas and suggestions. May we have a copy, please, of your state wide findings of this survey.

### **Lakeside Resort**

More fresh water, more electricity, more info on lake itself. Nee marine patrol, too many water sports, no enforcement on lake.  
Waterskiers, tubers, no common courtesy to fishing boats.  
Too close to boat and lines.

Management seems good. Old site, very established.  
Lewis and Clark historical info would be welcome and appropriate at this site.

Management has a lack of interest for safety and upkeep.

Satisfactory.

OK.

Needs some improvement for dock & showers.

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**Site** **Comments regarding the management of this site**

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No management. Several campsites fired off fireworks (middle of July) until 3 am, plus played loud music. No management to keep this under control - plus they did nothing about it the next day. Also management let them let their dogs run loose and nobody cleaned up after them.

Really nice and friendly people.

I think it's beautiful.

York Bridge campsite: I feel that your camp host singles out people who they decide to enforce rules such as 7 day stay within a calendar month that they should make all campers abide by these rules. Enforcing to some and not others really is unfair. It seems that some camp hosts can make summers very miserable if they want to single you out. I've been using this campsite all of my life and never have had a problem with anyone. Except the present host. I've heard him get drunk and yell and scream at others also. He has ruined the last two summers for my family and he needs to go. I'm a tax payer and I feel I should be able to weekend camp especially when sites are empty.

We had a very enjoyable time and plan to come back again.

They do a good job/

They were very friendly when we called from Florence to make reservations. The RV slot we wanted was full but the lady still gave us the boat dock we wanted which was nice.

No problem

Could use a few more sites so it is not quite so crowded, especially on the weekends.

Needs some updating.

The folks are very nice, but the toilets are filthy. We recently spent two weeks in Oregon, where camping facilities both private and state owned had well maintained bathrooms, showers, and laundry. It was amazing.



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**Lakeview Cabins & Happy Hour Bar**

Excellent: friendly, fair, creative.

The management is good.

Hebgen Lake is too low in June to use boat ramps and docks. Dog kennels at Hwy. 20 and Denny Creek Rd. Are an eyesore. Property owners should clean it up and get rid of junk.

This site needs camping and toilet facilities along with boat launching ramps and boat trailer and car parking.

Free camping for short night.

**Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center**

Black top the parking lot.

We visited the Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center and found it to be very worth wile and of a value exceeding the entrance fee. We will recommend this site to all we meet.

RV overnight parking.

Husband a volunteer here. Excellent attention to training volunteers & recognition of. Staff: All are friendly, pleasant and efficient.

Well managed. Enjoyed very much.

Very clean. Nice people working in L & C Center

Needs a source of food near by.

I travel often to many parts of the country. This is one of the best interpretive centers available with regards to natural surroundings and less development.

Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center was beautifully done--very interesting and I enjoyed it very much.

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Parking lot should be black top.

Docents & Forest Service staff were very knowledgeable, helpful & pleasant.

Very nice historical display and presentations.

Very good.

Rate it excellent overall. ??? Informative ???

Seems to be well managed and maintained

Lewis & Clark Center is very well done.

Excellent.

Breach the dams.

Excellent

So far we've only done the L & C Interpretive site and are very favorably impressed with it.

The facility could possibly use a small fence or rail on lookout behind signs to help children away from edge, but not one that would distract from the sight.

Great site. Very clean, very helpful, professional staff. Natural setting.

It appeared to be well maintained and managed.

Site was managed well.

Overall, the site seemed to be managed well.

It was beautiful & in excellent condition.

This site was just fine. But the officials hospitality at the Big Springs Site were not what would make me stop back again or my friends.

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Very clean and personel were extremely helpful and polite.

Excellent job with Lewis & Clark Interpretive site.

L & C Interpretive Center is the most complete and educational center we have visited. Excellent and unsurpassed!

Terrific site. All the interpretors were great.

Good.

Well managed and very helpful in disemanating information.

### Log Gulch Campground

Boaters have no respect for shore fishermman; they park boats right in front of you and laugh and get out. Need some signs for boater parking and designated shoreline fishing areas.

Was satisfied, he was friendly and answered our questions.

The site should be maintained better. It is a beautiful environment. There are bunches of deadwood lying around. One very nice location was too dirty to give it a second chance. Picnic tables should be maintained.

Management is good as far as I can tell.

Fire pits and campsites aren't cleaned.

Well above average. Adequate and clean restrooms. Need garbage can in dock area to keep things cleaner. Posted rules state: One vehicle per site, which, fortunately, was not enforced. We had many family members arrive from various places in their own vehicles.

Not fully aware of who/how the management is handled but all appearances show it is obviously a job well done.

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Desparately need RV dump stations and shower facilities. The driving distance to dump RV waste is Helena--and it limits the amount of time that can be spent here.

The state fish and game is failing in its management of the fish program in Holter Lake. I have fished this lake for some 30 to 35 years and have seen the perch and trout populating decrease drastically in the past 5 to 7 years. The perch and trout plants have all disappeared. While ice fishing the past several years you were lucky to catch a couple of perch or at trout. My 1st fall of 1999 fishing trip to Holter with my wife, we caught 2 trout. They were 18-19 inches in length (LUCKY). However, no small trout and no perch. That has been the norm for us and numerous other fishermen we have visited with during our trips to Holter Lake. The introduction of walleye into Holter is the problem. I visited with a scuba diver on Jan 1st some 2-3 years back while he was in open off social security beach and he saw 2 or 3 walleye some 2 to 3 feet in length. (Yes, that was a year it was open during that time of year.) That was the only fish he saw. MT fish & game is finally aware of the problems the walleye are causing in Canyon Ferry Lake. Now I have discussed this problem with numerous fishermen in recent years and they agree that walleye is the problem at Holter. I suggest MT fish & game conduct their own survey to receive input direct from the public. **WALLEYE IS A MAJOR FACTOR IN THIS FISH PROBLEM.**

Name

Address

Need a good productive manager.

More boat launching sites.

I like the new campsites but I feel that this year the grounds are not as well cared for. Each time we've been here the grass needs mowed at the campsites. The grass is dead at each site and new grass needs to be planted. When it rains it's a muddy mess around here.

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**Site** **Comments regarding the management of this site**

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Fish cleaning stall was out of order. Toilet wouldn't flush.

We would like to see the algae & moss under some sort of control at Holter Lake. The water is SO dirty. Also we would like to see some more salmon planted here. More docks would make it less crowded. Put back in the Senior Citizen parking closer to the docks & lake. Everyone I talk to agrees with this.

Management was extremely accomodating and kept the site well managed.

It did appear that ongoing construction of new sites was occurring which is somewhat disruptive to the "camping" scenario. However, adjacency to the wildlife area was a major plus for us.

I feel that the campsite is moving in the right direction with improvement. The campsite managers are very nice people and very helpful.

Campground manager and hosts are extremely nice and helpful. They do a great job. Our only problem is other campers that don't respect this place. Dogs unleashed and running wild - dogs relieving themselves in our camp unattended children at the water. We saw several very close calls with ignorant swimmers and fishers from the dock with boats and props. Very dangerous.

The site is very well maintained. On this and other trips the unloading and loading of the fishing boat is fast and easy even when there is a small or large number of people doing the same. The people are and have been understanding in the area. There would be greater pleasure in the site if maybe an info board were posted as to which bait or method of fishing was working best in the last few days.

Doing a great job.

The only negative aspect of this trip were loud drunks in adjacent campsites. PLEASE post quiet hours after 10:30!

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Very disappointed in amount of walleye in this lake. A lot of lakes with walleye in them and they are taking over. We still need good trout fisheries. We enjoy walleye fishing too, but there are lakes that have walleye and no trout. Keep this a trout lake.

Rules and regs. Need to be applied to all visitors at all times.

Level off ground in some campsites.

We were pleased with the management. The rest rooms were very clean, and the grounds were kept mowed and neat.

Good

I would like to see a place to put garbage that can be recycled. I still feel that it should be more affordable for families who like to camp but are on a limited budget.

We found the management very helpful. We had a problem with the RV and the help we received was great.

BLM management is very good. We find FWP sites poorly managed with poor boating facilities. Only complaint with this area is campground hosts don't stop people from running generators hours on end.

Fine.

I like the new fillet table.

I wouldn't know I usually don't see many forest service people around.

Thanks for your interest on how we feel about Holter Facilities. We hope it doesn't get too congested with private interests in the years to come.

Well done.

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With the boats around possibly more boat slips could be built. The manager could be much more visible around the site.

Management is not enforcing rules loading and unloading boats causing unwarranted discomfort to users. The odor at the fish cleaning facility was horrible, contaminating the air in the entire area on June 30, 1999.

**Lonesomehurst  
Campground**

Very satisfied with way campground is taken care of. Dave is very friendly.

The camp hosts were very nice, but the area manager was not easy to get along with.

Very satisfied.

The only problem I have is the fact that this is a recreation lake and it is never full enough to use on Memorial Day. This never happened until the last five years. The lake was always usable no matter what the snow pack was. In the last five years the water level has been a joke. We have more than enough snow pack but they elect to run it through the dam instead of thinking about the people who came to this area to use the lake. It is time Montana Power is put in there place.

Adequate, but odd.

For the most part the management of the site is very good. Improvements that could be made are:

1. Observe 16-day stay limit. One Bozeman waterskier controls one or more site (prime) all summer.
2. Do not allow a person to reserve more than their own site. Same guy in (1) above probably reserved (paid for) 6 or 8 sites.

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I wrote for reservations and information to Lonesome Hurst - the lady called me and advised no reservations but gave me all information plus she mailed all available information regarding Gallatin campsites. I appreciated her courtesy and response.

The manager is not very likeable and seems to want to only enforce rules. Plus the campfire grill has glass & cans in it.

The campground hosts are very helpful and do an excellent job.

This site has the best campground host couple I have known. I also find that Forest Service campground hosts are very good in general.

No complaints, if it works, don't try to fix it.

Very well managed and maintained.

Garbage container needs to be emptied twice a week.

The host couple was very accommodating & tidy--a bit restrictive maybe--example: a couple arrived to use next site for day picnic; the site was not occupied by a camper & they would not allow them to have their picnic.

**Madison Arm Resort**

Very friendly, helpful, always willing to answer questions.

Great.

East of this campsite loggers cut and didn't clean up. This is a fire waiting to happen.

All the trees that are down are an eyesore and fire hazard. They need more water in the lake.

Only encounter so far was with check in which was great.



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**Site** **Comments regarding the management of this site**

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The management work very hard at keping up with the site as well as improvements.

We only need hookups for our trailers. We were gone from 8 a.m. till 9 p.m. each day. We were sightseeing & shopping Yellowstone. Management was very considerate.

Needs more grass - way too dusty. Bathrooms weren't very clean. Needs better bathroom set up - shower facilities. People were friendly.

Everything has been OK

Friendly, nice, good, outgoing

The only thing I have to say, it's a beautiful site, I enjoyed it, I am going to come back again. The best thing to enjoy is the lake, the beautiful view over it and it's surroundings. The management was helpful, nice, and friendly. Keep on goin'

We have always been treated well in the 23 years we have been coming.

I love Madison Arms resort. I drove 1000 miles to return to the same spot on the 4th of July. Montana is beautiful and I love the Big Sky.

Will not return because the sites are way too close.

Very good, clean camp sites with good management.

Mrs. Clarkson and her female employee were uncooperative in trying to accommodate our 5th wheel into an appropriate campsite. No was their primary and final answer when there was space available so that the 4 small children in our care would gave shade from our awning but weren't able to utilize due to a tree in the way. After driving 1000 miles I would have thought they might be nicer. They were untruthful to us in that they stated a motorhome would be in that spot for 8 days ( a small travel trailer one night and a different the next night) so their statement was absolutely untruthful.

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Very nice owners

Needs more bathroom facilities

Reservations were easy and friendly. Made by internet and telephone.

**Madison River Picnic Site**

There are picninc tables but I haven't seen any bear-proof garbage cans. Also a lot of things from fishermen are left behind along the riverside.

**Morony Dam Public Access**

Dams need to be upgraded and owned by MT residents. Do not like the up/down water level control to where fishing is no longer as good as it was even ten years ago.

Good fishing. Fix road.

Clean up garbage even though not bad.

**North Shore Public Access**

Motorbikes are aggravating, noise pollution. Need more regulations or fines or enforcement with dogs.

Leave it the way it is.

Very satisfied.

more trees.

I would like to see overnight camping allowed.

Everything was fine--except for all the waste of garbage. There has been several times when my husband and I have picked up cans & garbage. We filled (2) bags alone in one day & gave to service worker.

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Maintained well.

I like coming here for a little seclusion with family or self.

When on my bike, I wish there was better access on river road. There is so much truck traffic on Lower River Road I feel like I am risking my life to get onto the River Trail. Montana Power needs to share the river with the swimmers. We need a swimming area in the river in town. We also need a wake-free zone for families in canoes and kayaks. The jet skis and power boats are out of hand. Too much industry on the river, close the refinery: it's toxic and disgusting.

Trees, garbage cans, tables,shelters,restrooms.

The river should be more accessible for multiple recreational uses, not owned by the Power Company for profitable power generation. Swimming should be accessible and permitting in low-water pools below the falls (especially Crooked Falls).

Managed great and trails very well maintained.

Clean, well maintained

Lewis and Clark interpretive center- Excellent facility, hosts informed and courteous.

Thanks for letting us enjoy the resource.

I don't have any problems with it.

I would hate to see the state FWP add this site to the Giant Springs Park Area & thereby extending their fee area.

Trees, tables, fire pits, garbage, out house needed.

**Powerhouse River Access**

Enjoy Ennis & Island Park 5th year in a row.

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Must be managed as a cold water fishery. Please keep open to bait angling.

**Rainbow and Lewis and Clark Overlooks**

I am getting excited about the proposed River's Edge Trail access across Cochrane Dam. It would really be nice if they would open up vehicle access again to Cochrane Dam from the North Bank Road like it used to be. It was nice to be able to drive out to Cochrane Dam with the family and hike around or picnic there above Cochrane Dam.

Very well kept up.  
Always nice & quiet.  
Relaxing.

Well maintained

I power walk and jog here. They do a great job.

OK

The area near the steel cliffs need fencing to protect small children from falling! This site needs to be sprayed for bugs on a regular basis; the moaquitos are thick.

All people we encountered were top notch in public relations.

I think it is great. It needs more restrooms.

Clean

DO NOT overdevelop.

We enjoy this site regularly.

Something to explain the dam.

Recent improvements are great. Continue!

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<b>Rainbow Point Campground</b>	<p>I am pleased that the state has kept this sight close to its original location.</p> <p>Markers telling where falls are from L &amp; C center.</p>
	<p>Good</p>
	<p>The only complaint is that the toilets have not been pumped.</p>
	<p>Very Nice.</p>
	<p>Please--talk to the people who control the boat dock at Rainbow Point--Hebgen Lake--I have written on this before. It is so bad now that we cannot even put our boat in--the concrete ramp is totally distorted. They spen money to fix the dock which didn't need repair &amp; forgot about the ramp.</p>
	<p>Rainbow Point - Hebgen Lake - nice host. Site needs no improvements. Keep it like it is.</p>
	<p>Campground is clean but often dogs are not on leashes so a problem could arise if a loose dog attacked one hithched, etc. Also beach area is often crowded and loose dogs sometimes fight. Dogs from house near (on govt. land) come into campground and bark all night at times.</p>
	<p>Looks good. Keep up the good work.</p>
	<p>We enjoyed visiting with our camp host. They kept rest rooms very clean.</p>
	<p>1999 season has seen a lot of much needed improvements. It is time the Forest Service cleans up around the lake shore and dead standing in the area.</p>
	<p>Having the road improved was great. Camp host (Jim) was a good one this year.</p>

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Well managed, no problems./

Like the natural environment. Do not wish for more development anywhere around this campsite. Should not have more residential development at Rainbow Village.

Happy with the current management.

OK

Need lower fees for family on fixed income or groups.

My biggest complaint is the additional fee for another vehicle. Our truck, which is used to pull our trailer, is a regular cab. It is not possible nor is it legal for all of us to ride in the cab. We consistently wear our seat belts at all times and the only way for our family to travel safely (and legally) is to take two vehicles. This really aggravates me. I can understand an additional fee if it is for another family, but for the same family taking up the same space it is unreasonable and this practice should stop.

Should be given back to the Forest Service. To manage and provide work for our High School and College kids. To make money for education and schooling not for commissioners to make big profits.

We have been very dissatisfied with the charges for a second vehicle. Over the years we have often found it necessary to travel in two cars - one to pull the boat, one to pull the camper - it may be only for my husband and I, and we have been required to pay more than for a large group who come in one vehicle. I feel charges should be based on the campsite and not vehicle, with possibly a surcharge (small) for over 6 people per campsite.

Boat ramp is in need of repairs.

Friendly - met Jim briefly.

**Red Canyon Scarp  
Interpretive Site**

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**Red Mountain  
Campground**

Recent work on the trail has been imaginative- new canyon vistas have been added, much to our pleasure.

I'm glad this is a non-fee area. Leave the area alone - don't improve.

It would be nice to see garbage cans in the area.

Toilet paper in restrooms, more fish, less wind.

This site is perfect for us for quick Sunday fishing/picnic getaway. We stay a few hours and the facilities are very satisfactory for our day trip needs.

I would like toilet facilities for people in tents. Closer water fountains would also be nice.

**Riverside SRA**

I was very content with my visit, but would prefer two tents per site.

Love the camp host.  
Like the fact that some people come every year.

Management of the site is very good and they keep it very clean.

Wellmaintained. Good signs.

The site seems to be very well taken care of.

Needs trash cans.

Dogs should be kept on leashes. Enforce the no wake law.

Very nice area equipped with individual site fire scars and picnic tables. Appears clean and well maintained.  
Everyone had dogs and they were all well managed and confined.

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Very good campground host.

Stock more Kokanee salmon.

**Rumbaugh Ridge Fishing Access**

I see very little management of the natural resources occurring anymore.

This site is always clean and well kept, and has not changed in many years.

The water in Hebgen is as pure as I have seen. No houses or cabins on shoreline, I think this helps.

The pay annual rent for area boat dock and try to help a proper sign--no trespassing. A professional looking sign like the ones by Forest Service would look to be official and would be more effective.

**Ryan Island Day Use Area**

Picnic tables need to be repainted.

we like it. It would be nice to have an improved road to get here.

Very beautiful site, enjoyed it.  
Thank you,  
(Name)

Everytime I've been here it is beautiful. Very well kept.

Very clean and well kept, much appreciated

Excellent area.

Great

Wonderfully maintained.

Very good. Very exceptional cleanliness!



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I feel they manage this site quite well. Keeping it enjoyable.

It's beautiful.

The area is beautiful. The bathrooms are clean and the area is clean.

Nice and clean

OK

Very Good!

Very good, very clean, except lots of bird poop. Hire a few pooper scoopers.

Excellent area.

Need some improvement to entrance road.

While reading of this site (Dam) in tourist guide books, it would have been nice to list the facilities available, than I would have brought a picnic lunch.

The reason I like Ryan Dam is that there is very little development. It is natural and basic. It doesn't need an interpretive center.

Good

Limit jetskis as much as possible

Being my first visit to Ryan Dam I was well pleased and will visit again.

The Missouri river should be managed for the individual desiring to recreate and not for the outfitters to gain the maximum dollars from the tourist with the most money!

### **Speciman Sound Park**

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Nice and Clean!

Site seemed clean--not too many people.

Well kept & clean.

I am local and just walk the area.

The sprinklers were quite a surprise but other than that we enjoyed it.

Re: Giant Springs in Great Falls--This is a natural attraction to the Great Falls area and I believe it has been grossly destroyed by the closing of the road along the river past Black Eagle Dam and directly through Giant Springs which passed by rock cliffs where swallows nested and also the monetary charges made to this area. I believe these things have deterred many visits to Great Falls and definitely to this area. I hope these above comments do not go in the "file" so often called and referred to as the "trash can."

Thank You,  
(Name)

**Spring Creek  
Campground**

The road in Denny Creek is like a washboard.

Hebgen Lake could use more unrestricted camping areas along the south shore.

Good management, especially Julie the law enforcement person.  
Leave it as it is.

Excellent. Please leave it exactly as it is.

There needs to be more outhouses.

Montana is a very desirable state to vacation. Please don't over regulate or over charge. Some people are poor and should not be excluded.

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**Squaw Island West Bank Park**

Ok.

The Rivers Edge trail is very well managed and maintained.

I like it a lot. Please keep it up.

Could use water on the trees. Spray out salt grass to maintain the paved walk. Loose dogs are a hazard- also some people don't clean up after their dogs.

This site should be left alone. It is nice that the road doesn't go all the way through. That restricts the traffic of people just cruising.

I would like to see the island repaved and the silt cleaned out of the river.

Keep it greener.  
Pave or oil the road.

**The Boat Loft**

People from Great Falls come and occupy camp sites 2-3 days before the weekend. They stay the required first night and then leave and come back for the weekend with family and friends. BLM managers need to put a stop to this. This practice keeps happening all year. Maybe Great Falls people should be allowed only 40% of the campsite.

The management at this site is very lax. They don't seem to keep track of who comes- if they pay or don't pay. Too many people leave their RV's unattended and go back to town till the weekend. This is not fair. This last trip there were 7 vehicles with no one there for 3 days. This makes it unfair for the honest people who go by the rules. The manager says his hands are tied, it's up to USDI Bureau of Land Management to straighten out.

I don't think this is a survey for cabin owners.

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Overall, the Holter Lake area seems well managed to me. A lot of people use it and generally seem to enjoy it.

I grew up on this lake. Sometimes it is disappointing that you can't get a campsite due to out of staters, or people who left their campers and went home for the week. There is regs in place but nobody will enforce it.

BLM is doing a great job. I wish we could develop more housing and camping with full hookups.

Should have road maint. Fee included in camping/day use. Residents shouldn't have to pay for it.

Meriweather is kept very nicely - groomed trails, restrooms, picnic facilities. Signs in areas are small have to boat very close to see. Would like restroom/docking facilities along Holter Lake if coat reasonable.

Very pleased.

BAN NIGHT FISHING! It's the same as spot lighting deer.

Would like to see speed bumps on Beartooth Road & more caution signs where a number of cars enter the road.

Example: The Beartooth Park just above the Boat Loft is especially dangerous because of the hill.

Only electric motors or maybe gas with VERY LOW horsepower allowed on the Missouri below the dam to the M&P or further.

We camp at the first campground at Holter Lake. Walt is an exceptional campground manager, and Judy and J.R. are very polite campground hosts. Would like to have lighting at upper restroom facilities, and underground sprinkler system. (I bring my sprinkler to water campsite). Hope you never lose Walt as campground manager.

The Gates of the Mountains and Holter Lake plus the area between are perfect as far as we are concerned and we love it just like it is! If is becomes buiser or more developed we will stop coming here.

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**Site** **Comments regarding the management of this site**

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We have been going to Holter Lake for 35 years. This camping site is well managed, always clean, etc. We are now Cabin owners but family members often use this site.

I think the facilities are very well maintained and managed. However, we are very disappointed that Holter Lake is being turned into a Walleye lake instead of a Trout lake. Just because we are attracting people from the mid-west, we don't need to turn every lake into a Walleye lake. We already have plenty - Canyon Ferry, Ft. Peck, etc. It seems the Fish & Game only want trout in the rivers and streams for the fly fishermen. There are still a lot of us who enjoy fishing for trout in our lakes.

The BLM is getting too pushy for there own good. You can't habe a spot for a friend or family member if they are not there. Their parking spaces are too narrow and short. Their grass looks like weeds but you can't park on it.

This site is managed well and try to accommodate all visitors the best they can.

Log Gulch needs more attendants. People using campsites are rude, especially after 10:00 p.m. The Boat Loft people are great. They do a great job!

We have a cabin on the lake so a lot of the before hand questions don't apply to me. Management of site is ok, but I would like to see fish and game personnel patrolling waverunners use. Have seen no such Fish and Game people in 99!

I feel this place and all the rec. areas here are well managed.

This is a private site and I think they are doing ok.

Great people / help / service at the Boat Loft.

Good

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What I see so far is fine except I hear there is not enough camping available or enough shade trees. Fishing is also getting slower and slower.

**Trail Creek**

Was excellent

OK.

Need additional parking, need garbage cans, need good place to water livestock. Should allow over night camping - one night if you travel 200 miles as we do. I would agree with a fee.

**Warm Springs Access**

Love the site. Wouldn't change a thing. The improvements done a couple of years ago are great.

Needs trash facilities

Don't make improvements because it will bring more people.

Good parking facility, access to trail.

Keep it clean.

While visiting the Beartrap Campground we were surrounded by 4-6 horses. A public campground should not have allowed horses in it. The smell got pretty bad after the first day.

Management was fine.

Abuse of the facilities by others was very discouraging.

Doing a good job.

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I'm very happy with the facilities although both bathrooms should always be operating at Madison river. The floater pick-up should also be open although I know it would be difficult.

I have been using this area for float fly fishing since 1988. I have also used this area for day hiking and 'car camping'. It is distressing to me that the river access points and campgrounds have been developed to the point that the natural experience has been compromised. I disagree with the idea that recreation areas need to be 'improved' to make access easier for more people. If the users of this area had been polled before these improvements were made, I believe that they would have discouraged the development. I realize that there may have been concerns about impact, however education would have been a preferable alternative to hearing people into unsightly and unnatural facilities.

This site is well maintained

Management is OK.

Husband excited to stop and fish the Madison en route to Clearwater River. Came around the bend and impressed with facility and its size. Our comment was "Wish we couldn't pop up our tent trailer & camper here last night!"

### **West Shore Public Access**

Management is simple and easy. There are 3 boat landings with no buildings.

I just would like to see the weeds cut and knapweed killed., Also expand parking and make the boat ramp a little better.

Seems to be adequate.

### **Wolf Creek FAS**

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More and more guides are using the river every year. This takes away from the pure experience. In the past, I've encountered power boats in this area. I believe all power craft should be banned from Holter down to Ulm.

Nobody elses damn business what my income is.

Keep it wild!

Please keep this area as it stands now. It is one of the last uncommercalized areas in the country.

The management of water flow from Holter Dam is not shared with the local population or economy. The outfitters are at the mercy of Dam management who do not share any water flow plans. This makes it difficult on the outfitters to plan their activities and thusly the visiting clients don't get the best value for their trip.

Enhance the quality of the fishing (water quality, access to the river, etc) when possible.

There are things I like about this site and things I don't like. I like the new boat ramp, but the jagged boulders all along the side of it are terrible! I have seen many people stumble and fall on them and get hurt, and they are very bad on the boats that need to park there to get out of the way of other people loading or unloading boats, hard on people getting in and out of boats. A garbage can or two would be nice. A few trees would be nice too. Maybe a pump or running water to rinse your cleaned fish or wash your hands with so we don't contaminate the river. The restroom is always stocked with T.P.; I am glad about that, but it could be emptied a little more often.

Bathroom maintenance is substandard.

Saw no management



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Powerboats are not environmentally friendly. They pollute the water, deteriorate banks and ruin quality of fishing for everyone.  
There could be better managed stream flows to enhance fisheries.  
Elimination or reduction of room sales tax would encourage more people to stay here  
Rangers need to check catch limits especially with the guys on the motorboats. We saw them go over their slot limits.

I work on several rivers in Montana as a fishing guide. My greatest concerns deal mainly with the survival of the fish and their health. I also try my best to provide a fun and all around enjoyable experience for my clients. That doesn't really mean catching lots of fish. The things that interfere with their enjoyment are seeing too many people on the river, the use of jet boats and misuse of motorboats.

Please do not further exploit this river. We need restrictions on guides, maybe 10 guides per day. The section from Holter Dam to Craig is so full of guide boats that no one can have a quality experience. Let people learn outdoor skills for themselves, not hire prostitutes for instant gratification.

Good.

Doesn't make much sense to pay for a campground which is just basically an asphalt parking lot.

Power boats in combination with everyone else on the river made it extremely congested. They should not be allowed to anchor in the river.

**Yellowstone Holiday  
Resort**

The caretaker were pleasant, accommodating and concerned for the visitors. It was clean and the docks had been replaced.

Fine.

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Trash cans are obnoxious, they should be kept away from campsites. Grass should be mowed more often, sites should be more level.

Yellowstone Resort on Hebgen Lake was overall enjoyable. Needed was supervision of power boats and jetskis in "no wake" zones and day users that did not pay day use fees in USFS areas and state land use areas. Why should I pay when in six days of use only 50% of users pay fees, that I encountered.

This site is very clean and kept up.

Friendly service and information.

The new owners changed too much too fast and offended a lot of the former customers.

**York Bridge Fishing  
Access**

Boat ramp could be improved a whole bunch. It's too short. Boat dock area in front of most of camp sites to the east needs to be deeper. Get rid of rocks and debris and general camp sites need to be maintained better--mainly mowing & weedeating. Camp site number posts need to be changed--lower to the ground so you don't hit them with vehicles on the blind side.

Very good.

There was a problem with a disruptive camper that was taken care of promptly by the warden. I've had several experiences with disruptive campers ruining everyone's good time. In addition, the camping area was clean and patrolled regularly by the warden and the sheriff.

Would like to see more patrols by park service personnel in evening hours.

It's friendly and nice.

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I think it's great that this site has a paved boat launch and is taken care of. Thank You.

York Bridge campsite host was great.

If site management means having camp hosts who are here to help enjoy the water, then the camp host is very important. Some of the camp hosts I have been around in the past thought the position gave them police power and acted like little Hitlers.

Doug has been the camp host at Hauser (York) this summer and he is a fine person to work with.

Site is well maintained and monitored. The camp host is top-notch--very friendly and helpful.

Excellent

Need to make jet skiers obey laws--get too close to kids tubing & waterskiing.

I think that it is a well managed area.

I hope this site is not "developed" any further. The Black Sandy site was "improved" a few years ago--free use went away & it became more crowded.

Very accomodating campground host. Nice guy.

Could pay Camp Host wages to clean up instead of having FWP man and truck to drive out and spend a short time. Could supply Electricity and have dock lights and night lights. Could rearrange the campground for more parking space and more places for boats, this would make it easier to get to. Could charge a small dock fee and make improvements.

On site camp host is very helpful and friendly. Appreciate the job this gentleman does to allow us to enjoy our family activity.

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The camp host has been here 2 years and has been very helpful, friendly and curious.

Restrooms, sites, etc. are kept very clean - my compliments

Camp host is excellent. Mike and Pete (FWP) are helpful and considerate.

Needs a better boat ramp.

Deep on both sides.

A docking facility similar to the one at Black Sandy.

This site has always been managed well - friendly people.

Very good

Great.

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<b>Site</b>	<b>Comments regarding satisfaction with this site</b>
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**Bakershole Campground**

This site really needs a dump station even if there needs to be a fee for the service.

OK

Water was yellow.

very well maintained and camping fees very moderate.

I hope campgrounds of this type can be kept open. This one is especially nice in the close proximity to W. Yellowstone and that's helpful to people on a low income

Very beautiful, love the Yellowstone area.

large enough sites for any size RV

The sites are spacious, level and comfortable. The natural vegetation gives privacy and quiet. The entire campground is clean and well-run. Thank you, Montana!

Nice campground

It's fine for a couple of nights' use; we need electric & water hookups for any longer than that.

A very nice spot, but mosquitoes were really bad.

Cooler weather here, trees and nice river edge, wild flowers, table and fire place, water and fresh water facilities. Just a great campsite and campground. Nice Host!

We camped here year before last, and were disappointed we couldn't come last year. We hope to be here for approx. 10 days this season and maybe return with adult children and others next year.

Site	Comments regarding satisfaction with this site
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Very nice and clean.

Very nice site. Only complaint is no dump site when leaving.

This campground is great!

Very pleased.

The campground is well maintained and taken care of. It is an asset to the locals it services. The closest public dump station for RV's is approximately 20 miles from this location at Henry's Lake in Idaho (or 15 miles to Madison in the park).

Nice layout.

Very nice, but Forest Service campground fees are going up too much. Also, Forest Service needs to install dump stations.

**Bear Trap Canyon**

Very happy.

Beautiful area. Well kept. Not overused or overpopulated.

Nice designated no-fee campsite but they are within view of freeway (road).

Great.

Loved Beartrap. I liked the access to the trail up the canyon.

Same.

**Beaver Creek Fishing Access**

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quiet  
wildlife  
weeds not dominating recreation area.

This site is rich in wildlife and scenic beauty, with a high degree of privacy which is great. I hope it stays that way!

It is well kept up.

Same as above.

The site has been developed to the point where it no longer feels "natural." I feel that the conduct of other visitors could be improved but is out of the hands of management officials.

Great place.

**Black Eagle Overlook**

Very satisfied--always enjoy coming here.

Good experience each time we visit.

I really enjoyed my visit to the trail. Thanks.

I'm very pleased with the River's Edge Trail. My wife and I use it regularly and hope it is completed all the way to Moraory Dam.

The River's Edge Trail is a very pleasant place to take a walk highly satisfying.

I like it.

Continue maintainence.

River's Edge Trail is a marvelous opportunity for getting out, relaxing, and exercize. It is also a monument to community co-operation.

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Running on River's Edge Trail is fantastic. Kayaking below the dam is great, but the access is difficult. MT Power is supposed to be developing better access.

I'm quite satisfied.

Great walking path.

I know that MPC is in the process of relicensing all their dams. But this is now into it's seventh or eighth year and MPC promises to make the island below Black Eagle Falls open to the public, but when??

This is the best multi-purpose site!

Great asset to the town.

I've always enjoyed my walk here.

It's a beautiful place to walk, rollerblade, ride bikes, etc.

Very good.

Greatly satisfied.

I enjoy the River's Edge Trail for activities such as running, walking, biking and rollerblading.

### **Black Sandy SRA**

Nice Place.

Restrooms were well cleaned and fresh.

A little barren.

Overcrowded and no place to fish. Used to love to come here for the peace and quiet. Will probably not be back.



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Same.

When we pay for a campsite, one or two additional vehicles should be allowed. There should also be a group rate.

Site is kept up nicely

A good place to be out in nature.  
Needs more parking spaces.

Improvements made to Black Sandy are wonderful.

It's a very nice area with the right combination of seclusion and access to town.

The sites we had for two nights were good. Most of my negative attitude is due to the rude ranger. I am a Montanan by birth and lived here most of my life. This is supposed to be friendly country by my recollection.

Black top road.

Loved the boat docks. Would come again mainly because of the boat docks.

Quiet and neighbors were extremely friendly.

Wonderful trip- no fish caught!

The new docks are just wonderful. They were used for boats & for fishing. Children were looking into the water for interesting things off them. I wish there were more docks in some of the other facilities.

Nice boat docks and campsites. This has been fixed up nice and we enjoy it. The fishing is very dissapointing. What happened to all the salmon? Quality of fishing used to be great.

We'll be back!

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Over developed, I like it with less restrictions. However, I understand the need to accommodate more use by more people.

I really like the new docks they just built.

Moderately satisfied.

Supervision of Rules.

Nice & clean.

Nice campground & scenery.

Fishing could have been better.

O.K.

It was a good site. The fish would not bite.

Ver satisfied. Clean and run well.

The drop off at the bottom of the boat ramp. The rough road that shook my equipment apart going in and out. The junk in the fire pits. The stench of the out-houses. The high prices charged.

Especially appreciated seeing wildlife.

I have always liked Black Sandy because we used to fish off the bank when we couldn't catch something while fishing off the boat. But now that shore line is lined up with boats and it takes away the chance for bank fishing. It's not the same as when we first started going to Black Sandy 12-13 years ago.

I'm very satisfied.

Poor installation of parking places- not level.

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Wonderful

We are here visiting relatives and my children have enjoyed your facility daily except Sat. & Sun. The only thing they wish there were less of is ants.

Very clean and a beautiful place.

Need to stock more salmon! Need to enforce limits on all these lakes!

The new docks are great!  
We always enjoy our visit to Black Sandy!  
Thank you.

The main drawback with this sight is the extreme closeness of sites and the lack of privacy. The improvements (bathrooms, docks, etc.) have made it a fun place for day use but the lack of privacy in the camping sites and the number of people who trapse through make it a frustrating place to camp overnight, especially when compared to some of our other lakeside campgrounds in Montana.

We love Hauser Lake! Best fishing; so we retired and built a home a mile up the road. Day of this survey was a Sunday--usually the lake is quieter.

**Blacks Ford**

Good!

Large enough to accommodate many vehicles.

It is only nice because it's secluded. Don't care, however. It sucks.

this was beautiful.

Happy face.

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Very satisfied.

Facilities have been nicely improved over past 25 years, but not overdone.

Nice float.

Wonderful recreational resource for all users.

Site is clean, with good parking, but trash barrels are needed to ensure cleanliness through the season.  
Recycling?

Wonderful environmental experience.

Good

I am grateful for the availability of natural places in Montana and all the efforts to keep it wild.

Great, nice, beautiful.

**Broadwater Bay Park**

I am pleased

I love it here.

It's great!

I like it!

Very nice.

Good.

Overall, very nice site.

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Good place to take kids.

Good place to get together with friends and boat and swim.

### **Building Destruction Site**

I was very satisfied with Quake Lake and the historical sites. It was informative and interesting.

Our family has visited this site since the 1959 earthquake. We have pictures from this site showing the growth and aging of our family, which has grown from 4 people to 25. Family tradition.

Enjoyed our stay! Thanks!

### **Cabin Creek Campground**

It is beautiful--easy access, small campground so there is not people on top of you.  
Facilities are great--very clean.  
Our favorite place in Montana: Hebgen Lake--Cabin Creek camp.

What a beautiful spot! We appreciate national forests because the campsites are roomy, wooded and natural. National forests allow us to travel more extensively on a retirement income and get closer to "nature" than we would in a commercial campground. We wouldn't camp if we had to stay in KOA's or even some of Yellowstone's overcrowded RV "cities."

It's spiffy.

It's great.

Rock on!

It's too tall for a forget-me-not!

Clean and well maintained.

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The site was beautiful and we enjoyed it very much. Very satisfied!

I was very satisfied with the site. I enjoyed the little sightseeing & hiking I did.

I'm happy!

It makes a nice picnic site.

Clean appearance. Litter free.

I am very satisfied. It is very calm and beautiful. I like it very much.

**Campfire Lodge Resort**

A family/friends oriented site that promotes a comfortable atmosphere.

This site is very well managed, food, facilities, owners are eager to please and very generous with their time.

Bathroom/shower facilities, Café and area are all a plus.

We were ther only one day visiting family we loved it and want to come back. We actually didn't spend a lot of time there but were very impressed.

More satisfied than expected.

Campfire Lodge is wonderful. My parents brought me here at age 5 and now I bring my children and grandchildren. This has great sentimental value.

You have the river at your door, wonderful people who have been coming here since the 40's, BEAUTIFUL stars at night, campfires glowing through the night--what more could you want?!

We will come back. What better testimony than that.

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I really enjoyed this site. We drove from Missoula. This was a great place to recover from the drive, relax and make plans for Yellowstone.  
Great showers!

Very good.

**Carter Ferry**

I like the site and plan on coming back.

Clean.  
OK facilities.  
Good fishing.

Very satisfied

**Causeway Fishing Access**

Have less motorboat and recreational floaters.

This site is fine, but needs to have people watch the site for fish on the banks.

Ok

I really enjoy the causeway. It's close to home, the fishing is usually good, and the view is nice too. With the exception of the above I wouldn't want much to change.  
Thanks!

Could use some fish stocking.

For the past 10-15 years the fishing at this facility has gone down hill dramatically. I keep coming back because I am handicapped and it is accessible.

Very peaceable & enjoy watching the birds & waterfowl.

It's fine.

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**Cherry Creek  
Campground**

Good fishing hole.

I have really enjoyed fishing here in the past, but fishing seems to be going down hill in the last three years. I don't fish as much as I use to because of the poor fishing.

The view of Helena is so nice from here. What a great place to relax!

This is a pleasant area for shore fishing and motor boating and skiing. I would like to see a couple more picnic tables and maybe a shelter available for use.

The campground was neat and clean.

It was wonderful to have a lakeside campsite away from monster boats and RV generators. I appreciate being able to camp at this minimally developed site for free.

Everything was great!

We really enjoyed it. Very glad we could have a campfire.

more large fish.

**County Park**

This site is a perfect launch site for boats due to its gentle topography. It is also an historic recreational site for native Helenans and Montanans.

We really enjoyed seeing the sail boats on Canyon Ferry lake and seeing osprays and also seeing their nests. Another thing that we've enjoyed was the pelicans below the dam.

I like the day use only campers who park here all summer and think the site is theirs.



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**Crooked Falls Overlook**

Superb.

Very satisfied!

Thankful for people involved with this great project!

Very nice.

I enjoyed this site.

Very beautiful, quiet area. Nice bike/walk path, wish we had one in our area.

**Departure Point Day  
Campground**

I was very satisfied with the site. It was clean and there was nobody that really bothered us much. I just prefer more privacy than most.

It was clean and not overcrowded.

The improvements to the bathrooms made the camping experience more enjoyable.

Site is maintained very well, other sites need a lot of work.

The satisfaction is I watched my grandkids have fun. That's what it's about.

**Devil's Elbow**

Very pretty.

**Dispersed - West US84**

Enjoyed it!

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This site is overused and is in bad shape. Needs to be developed to save it from looking like a dump.

We use this area for fun and recreation from march through september. We love it and hope to enjoy it for the rest of our lives. Thank you for your time.

**Dispersed sites from Giant Springs to Rainbow**

A great diversity of birds and several species of animals easily observed in an area next to an urban center. This general area is a valuable asset to the city of Great Falls.

Good place to go to get away from the city.

It's nice to have access to the river.

Fine.

I like natural areas for day hikes with my grandchildren.

I love this place. Try not to mess it up with restrictions, fences, or more gates.

**El Dorado Bar Mine Inc.**

Need more FEE digging sites in the state.

My husband and I have been coming to Montana for 27 years to dig sapphires and enjoy the area. If we didn't have the mines open to us we wouldn't come every year.

Closed for one year and we had to go to N. Carolina. Hated it and wanted to get back to the El Dorado Bar.

Roads very rough, could use repairs.

Very satisfied.

Keep it going.

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	Rates reasonable; had lots of fun; good equipment. Very helpful.
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<b>Fort Benton Boat Launch</b>	
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	Great. Thanks.
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	We are thrilled with this community--the town and everyone we have met is very welcoming & canoe-friendly.
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	Excellent launch site
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<b>Gates of the Mountains, Inc.</b>	
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	Exceptional.
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	This is a beautiful area and we were very glad to take our relatives out for the Gates of the Mtns boat ride while they were in Helena for our reunion.
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	Tour boat/picnic site seems to be a good combo. Tim was an especially good commentator, his diction was perfect for someone hard of hearing. The other operator was harder to understand, they were all very knowledgeable.
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	Will be back.
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	The operator of the boat gave us lots of information & was enjoyable for the trip to the Gates & back. We enjoyed his descriptions in detail of historic happenings. It was educational & entertaining. (Name)
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	Everything was great except for the trailmarkers to Mann Gulch. There should also be mile markers on the trails.
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	We usually make one motor trip per year to Seattle area. We will return here and recommend to traveling friends. Montana is spectacular.
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**Site**

**Comments regarding satisfaction with this site**

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I like the Gates of the Mountains so much that when I have guests from out of state, I want to take them there. My two guests this time were from South Carolina.

The museum is always interesting.

It was lovely.

This is one of my favorite places and it is close by Helena. I enjoy the use of it.

It is a wonderful and scenic place. Not many exist like this which includes this type of history (Lewis & Clark and Indian activity)!

We found out about Gates of the Mtns. Through AAA guide. We wish we had known that there was food available--didn't know ho to plan for lunch. Would have liked to hike & explore longer than 15 minutes, but couldn't afford to stay full 2 hours for next boat.

This hike will be a highlight of our trip. We are very interested in the story of the Mann Gulch fire.

Our only regret is not having enough time between tour boats to allow for a complete hike to the markers.

This was a wonderful trip. We never would have seen this place were it not for this boat tour.

Loved the site. Not overbuilt and commercialized. Area was kept very natural- the way it should be ! (smiley face)

Beautiful, and boat captain very good. Narration gets better every year.

Mel was a great guide.

It is very well laid out and easy to get around on the trails and in the picnic & camping areas.

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Every visit to Gates of the Mountains has been wonderful. We sure plan to return.

We found all our facilities & site visits to be very good. There were few irritations or disappointments.

We enjoy this site very much.

Very satisfied. Some motor boat operators need to be better educated on when and how to bring their wake down when driving past docks, especially those at Merriwether and Coulter campsites.

Very beautiful. Picnic area maintained well. Enjoyed our boat trip.

Very satisfied. Hope to see you all again soon.

It was a beautiful site & seemed very well & appropriately maintained. I enjoyed my visit.

I did enjoy the trip.

Overall I was very satisfied with the site. However I am an active, able bodied individual. If I was disabled than boarding the boat for the trip down the river would have been difficult. The skipper of the boat said the boat was built in the 1960's when an attitude to the disabled was less tuned into their needs. Times have changed and we should now give disabled people the same advantages as able bodied people.

Everyone was pleased and offered favorable comments. Our group ranged in age from 2 to 58. Our whole family enjoyed this outing. We primarily came for the scenic boat trip.

I believe the Holter Lake/Gates of the Mtns. Are a wonderful site to visit & I frequently visit. I go to school out of state but when I come home I always go up to Holter; it not only has many fond Montana memories but it has the capacity for many more.

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Wonderful access to nice trails. Really enjoy this area, will come back.

We're satisfied. Keep up the good work and Thank You.

We found most people from Montana to be friendly and talkative. Every visit to Montana has been a pleasure. We especially enjoyed visiting the east side of wchies for the first time, Charlie Russel Museum-A+. Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center- A+. Montana Historical Society-A+.

It was beautiful and relaxing!

Everything OK.

Beautiful area.

We in Helena and all over Montana are really lucky to have such a beautiful, interesting, and accessible recreation facility. We should be proud.

Tour guide was very informative and knowledgeable. Very nice gentleman.

The site has improved over the years and yet still has its rustic charm. It's a great place!

Lovely boat tour on a wonderful day.

See above.

I have enjoyed this site for many years. It is a very enjoyable site and has a variety of activities for people to do (water, picnic, hike, educational, etc.)

Very, very satisfied. This is a wonderful place. Our family enjoyed it greatly.

Great bathrooms.

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Site	Comments regarding satisfaction with this site
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It is a lovely site. The ranch at the entrance is charming. The lake and river seem in pristine condition! Please keep it this way!!

Second thime here and I enjoy it much. We WOULDN'T want to see more development.

Good boat tour, very resonably priced.

Really didn't use the site. It was a stop on the boat tour. Enjoyed the boat tour & very brief stop.

Great guide, knowledgeable.

Very Wonderful.

Excelllent backpacking trip.

Awesome, very satisfied.

Think it's beautiful

Great!

Everything was just fine.

I thought the boat tour was very nice & informative. The boat operator was very good at pointing out wildlife & slowing the boat so everyone could get a good look. The Merriweather picnic area was clean & I liked how the picnic tables were spaced. Overall everything was well cared for.

**Giant Springs Heritage State Park**

Good.

The Hatchery is good to restock the fish population.

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We are amazed at the nice lawn and clean water.

This is truly a wonderful site.

Very nice. We're out of towners, so quite a nice surprise.  
Good luck with your conservation efforts.

Keep up great work.

Very enjoyable. A calm feeling.

Very satisfied.

OK

Please make the area at Giant Springs safer for older visitors.

One of the best museum/nature sites ever! Sending friends & family.

See above.

Loved both.

Very good site close to home.

Very attractive.

Very satisfied.

Excellent.

This is the first time we've been here. It appears to be a great place to visit. We were up at the Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center and it was a very interesting visit.

Very beautiful!



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Perfect!

The scenery is pretty

My mother is in the hospital and I just came here to relax for a while.

**Hauser Dam**

We were disappointed that the Fisherman's Trail down river from Beaver Creek about 1/4 mile was posted no access. We can understand no vehicular traffic or hunters, but no walkers seems a bit extreme.

We prefer to go below the Dam, less people/toys, more peaceful and free.

Keep it as is!

Great spot!

Generally, satisfied.

We like to take the family there to fish. Weeknights are pleasant. (smiley face)

Nice and quiet for a family to get away.

I like the site because you have to hike 1/2 mile to 2 miles to get to the good fishing and that keeps a lot of people from going down there.

I am satisfied with this site as it is.  
I strongly feel it should be left alone as much as possible.

Very satisfied.

Very satisfied but didn't catch any fish. Probably didn't hold our mouth right.

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This is a good site to fish at. I hope to see it open and usable in the future to come.

I walked to Beaver Creek. A sign telling me how far for a distance it was or where the trail led to would be nice. I look forward to returning when the salmon are spawning and the osprey & eagle are active.

Great- Partial Improvement. Why not at least have power too (110V, 30 amp)?

The quality of fishing was tremendous (we caught at least 5 rainbows over 20"), and we saw no other fishermen, so we were very satisfied.

Appreciate allowing access across the dam and facilities.

**Hebgen Dam Day Use Area**

Very satisfied. Will come back and will recommend Kirkwood to others.

Same as before.

Great place--nice people!

**Hebgen Lake Interpretive Site**

Beautiful scenery. Wonderful museums. Beautiful weather. Good food. Good roads. A feel for early history and more.

I think the roadside exhibits are informative & a nice break from driving--and it gets people in a hurry (e.g., Rvers) off your tail!

The country is beautiful--we were only passing through.

Beautiful area, nice interpretive stations.

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I was on a motorcycle trip and dis not spend the night or much time there, but what I sawe I enjoyed and will come back some day and spend more time. Nice place!!

**Hebgen Lake Motel & Campground**

Fishing in Montana in general is going downhill. No. of people, water quality, too many guides on Big Horn, water much warmed than first 10 years. Big Horn and Missouri access extremely hip. Change that aspect & no Montana fishing.

**Highway Destruction Site**

Love Montana!

**Historic Train Exhibit/Rivers Edge**

Very satisfied.

The trail is the best thing to happen to Great Falls. It is used by everyone & everyone helped develop it.

Hope to see continued development of the trail.

A true asset to this community.

The River's Edge Trail is a wonderful site. It adds tremendously to this area. The drinking fountains are an excellent idea.

This is a great place to walk, run, rollerblade, etc.

We love it.

Trail is outsanding. Willing to contribute yearly.

Good. Need better bug control.

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Very satisfied.  
A real source of pride for Great Falls.  
Everyone loves it.

Good.

I love the trail.

It's a peaceful place.

We had a very enjoyable bike ride on the Rivers Edge Trail. Would have liked to be longer.

It is a good walk for exercise. Path is narrow.

It's a wonderful place. I come here a lot. I love the scenery.

I think it is great that we have facilities like this all over for public access.

Area is kept up well. Natural landscape.

I enjoy exercising on the trail because of the scenic qualities. I grew up here so it reminds me of childhood times.

I enjoy it very much. It's a great trail.

Very nice great walking paths.

### **Holter Dam**

I enjoyed trip. No fish--need to try harder. Would come back. Stayed in motel so can't evaluate camping.

Fishing was excellent, would go back if we are ever in the area again.

Stricter rules with regard to cleaning up by shore fishermen below dam.

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Great fishing, unfortunately the area is getting used by more and more people every year, especially guides and outfitters. They tend to anchor in the better locations and thus prevent others from ever floating through them.

I enjoy fishing below the dam. The flow and the water level changes and so do the locations of the fish. On an annual basis, I would guess that 75-85% of use is by fishermen in the area less than 6 hours: no camping, no picnics.

### Holter Dam Campground

I think it is nice.

Not satisfied with noise level; barking dogs.

Charge out of state people more than instate campers.

It is a great place to meet with friends, able to view the wildlife.

The site is much cleaner and better cared for.

Peace Full

We hope the no fireworks rule is enforced since we have seen a number of people in poseesion of them.

We travel, fish, camp, etc. in MT for 4 months every year and have done so since 1978. We love MT and have always been welcomed and treated kindly, making many good MT friends that camp with us every summer. We enjoy all of your facilities, weather fully developed or rough camping. BLM is wonderful- keep as much land available to the public as possible, especially near waterways, lakes or streams. Conservation is important! Don't let this state be abused!!!

Good enough.

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A very pretty site. Saw lots of deer.

Beautiful scenery; peaceful. Good fishing, good weather, good friends.

I've enjoyed our stay.

Keep it just like it is and raise the rent.

Pretty satisfied overall.

Water faucet to prevent lifting of water jugs, dumpster to prevent people from littering.

A graded road would be nice

### Holter Lake Campground

I fish this area often and always encounter people coming too close and too fast.

It's a good site. We've been here before. We'll be back as long as the fishing is good. It's fun to boat on the river and see the goats, osprey, eagles, etc.

Very good site. Need more large sites. Paid too much for camping overnight.

Wish people were required to clean up after their own pets! Other than that, nice place.

This site is quite easy to launch your boat and have a dock to park at briefly while getting ready for the day's outing.

Most of the time it is overcrowded.

This has always been a premium spot.

Layout is nice.  
Bathrooms are clean.  
Areas are roomy.

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We only use the launch ramp and parking areas. We almost never are able to park in the lot. We must park along side the road, and have had to park in the Roberts Roost parking lot.

Nice Boat Facilitys.

Most of the sites are great. We have a big motorhome with a slide out, but we didn't get a spot so we had to camp on the asphalt as it wasn't as enjoyable. Site # 63 and 64 both spots so we would fit. Shared a fire ring. They need more large spots.

This area has everything we like in a campground. The people are friendly. The campground is clean. The historical significance of Lewis & Clark and Mann Gulch fire is great. I have enjoyed both sites and stories of each.

Once they catch up with the mowing it's always beautiful, clean and enjoyable here.

Too crowded- No shade by available campsite.

Enjoyed it.

This is a good place for our family to come & enjoy.

It is clean, well spaced, good facilities for our boat, quiet & pleasant!

Always a pleasure, even with the downfalls.  
Survey was pleasant & convenient.

They need to put an RV dump station in so y9ou can dump your holding tanks. Too much dog droppings all over on walk ramp, at boat dock and in grass. Grass needs cutting.

Noticed fees have not changed in many years- makes it affordable for everyone.

I am pleased at the way the restrooms are kept clean.

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We have been coming here for 16= years, it has been developed enough. Any more would be too much.

Always good.

It always seems clean when we have camp.

Generally, Holter has become overcrowded during recent times, and those of us who used it on weekends no longer go there. Too many people, too many very large RV's. Maybe size and amount of vehicles per campsite should be restricted. It is no longer a restful or enjoyable place to visit. Thanks for asking.

Eliminate Jet Ski's / power racing boats and skiers. Lake needs to be better controlled / managed. Over populated with competitive users. Need to also reduce noise levels and overcrowding on weekends and holidays.

Very satisfied.

Generally speaking we do enjoy our stay here.

This site is clean and easy to get to and close to the lake for fishing. Since we haven't had a chance to fishy yet, having just arrived, we are hoping for a good catch in the next 4 days.

Overall, OK--would like shade tree & electricity.

Friendly

We like the site. Very pretty. Would only like to see showers added and some water/electric hookups.

This campground was better than by Wolf Creek. I feel they could have more areas available.

Excellent restrooms. Please plant more silver salmon in the lake.



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Must be too small--always seems quite crowded.

I don't think it is right to put chairs & cars and trucks to save a spot for days and not pay most of the time. I would like that stopped--not fair to others.

Clean, grassy, water, nice loading ramp.

Sites are being held for days unoccupied. Nothing being done about it.  
Also tents should be put in the tent area--not in the camper spots--motorhomes & campers come in and have no place to park.

Good facilities. Restrooms pretty well maintained.

Sea gulls are a problem when trying to cook outdoors.

Taking up parking area with boats and campers with no one around for 3 to 5 days, and others tie up 2-3 spots for friends.

Clean.

Great place, will come again.

We are satisfied!!!

Great site and well maintained facilities. I used to manage 22 developed rec. sites as a District Ranger for the USFS, and wish the FS had similar sites in the area.

**Holter Lake Lodge**

Need more secluded campsites. Have more space for tents only.

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Very satisfied with area. Previously have camped in campgrounds, but now stay at Holter Lake Lodge. Would not like to see lake become overcrowded but have usually been able to find areas to fish without difficulty. Try not to increase development, but keep area as pristine as possible. Thank you.

The only thing I have a problem with is you shouldn't have to pay \$8.00 a night to stay there.

**Indian Trail Marina**

A very popular area--will need to be expanded.

Holter Lake is a very pretty place.

**Kirkwood Picnic Site**

Excellent area and usage will more than likely continue with time. Hopefully this survey will help with the purchase of facilities like restrooms and public boat landings (and garbage receptacles) to keep impacts to a minimum.

Very lovely lake/picnic sites.

**Kirkwood Ranch Motel and Marina**

There are too many guides working from this site.

Satisfactory.

Best fishing ranch, best food, best accommodations, best guides, etc.

My trip overall was wonderful. No complaints at all.

**Kobayashi Beach**

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Site	Comments regarding satisfaction with this site
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We have been coming here for 25 years. We actually feel people are more responsible & appreciative now than they were 20 years ago.

Very satisfied.

I have been coming here for as long as I can remember. The only problems we have ever had have been due to the ignorance and/or selfishness of others, but that is something that generally cannot be avoided no matter where one chooses to spend time.

I have been coming since I was a kid and will always want to continue to enjoy Ennis Beach. This is one of many sites we visit but we always enjoy it and try to help take care of it.

Basically it is OK. It could be cleaner.

Fine./

Hopefully it will stay a clean, accessible property for years to come.

Site is great.

### Lake Shore Lodge

Our family loves it here! This is where we have our family reunion & company meetings.

Extremely satisfied

Very Scenic

Satisfied.

Totally satisfied.

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Management has sprayed to get rid of these bothersome midgens, but not 100% successfully. Maybe some state insect experts should consult and aid in solving this growing nuisance, which truly is our only complaint.

Will visit again

Great accomodations for family reunion.

### **Lakeside Resort**

We were very satisfied. The fishing was excellent. There were a lot of history and things to see in Helena.

Had a nice boat ramp and a nice swimming and play area for kids.

Location good. Lake access good.

So far we have been pleased.

Area is really nice.

Could use some beautification.

OK

Great people, just maybe a little nicer bathrooms.

We wanted a picnic table to eat dinner at, but there were none around. It would be very nice if every site had a table. Not just a few here and there. That is our only complaint.

Satisfactory.

The staff is very nice. All have been helpful & friendly.

There could have been more signs if coming in off of 15 on Lincoln Rd./ Deal Ln., etc.

<b>Site</b>	<b>Comments regarding satisfaction with this site</b>
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	It was fine but I like it remote and private.
	See above.
<b>Lakeview Cabins &amp; Happy Hour Bar</b>	More camping you can use for one short night at no cost.
<b>Lewis &amp; Clark Interpretive Center</b>	Very nice facilites
	Very nice.
	Overall - good.
	Very satisfactory.
	Very pleased this turned out great and very educational for all ages.
	Well presented and very informational.
	The special speakers should be given more time to talk about their subjects, such as Yule (?) (an African American man) as the Interpretive Center. What he was saying was very interesting, but he was on such a short time frame, he had to rush.
	Great.
	Very satisfied.
	Excellent center. Black Eagle's presentation was very relevant. Excellent.
	Very satisfied.

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Very friendly people.

The five women in our group ranged in ages from 83 - 22 and all were impressed with the view, the quality and appropriateness of displays, the information in the presentations, and the emphasis on Native American History and culture. A very positive experience!

When school groups are at the museum, keep them under control. It is awfully hard to read & enjoy the exhibit with kids playing hide & seek & running in front of the exhibits. Otherwise the museum is great and very nicely done.

It's a beautiful area--the water, trees, flowers, wildlife were all pleasant. It's a relaxing place.

The park system in Great Falls is very inviting.

Excellent location--situated in the appropriate spot. Ease of viewing exhibits, attention to details.

It was very informative about the different aspects of L & C's trip. I hope we can be present at some of the activities on the Bicentennial.

Very educational--well done!

Satisfied.

Great.

Great.

Loved it--exhibits were well displayed and very informative.

Full time Rvers. We'll be back!

All materials were clearly legible, could be easily seen and read.

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Site	Comments regarding satisfaction with this site
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First contact with site and surroundings (outside) wasn't too expensive. But once entered real ???

Site was very interesting.

Very interesting historical record of Corps of Discovery.

### Log Gulch Campground

We didn't like the bulldozers.

It is very peaceful & fun & beautiful.

Boat slips exceptional.  
Cutting tables nice.

I am always having fun when I come here.

It's a nice place, everything's well kept as far as camping facilities and restrooms. The road is my only disregard. It is narrow and rough with lots of pot holes! Lots of wear and tear on outfits.

We have been thoroughly satisfied over the years on the improvements (boat docks, fish cleaning tanks, lights and campsites). We have found enjoyment in the privacy of the site, yet public availability. We've never minded paying the fees due to all the work put into making our weekend breaks a clean, enjoyable place to be--Thank you.

Big improvement of launch and docks; also cleaning fish bench.

Would like to see road paved all the way to this site (hard on equipment & vehicles). It is ridiculous that they can't finish the road paving to the site since it's only 1/4 to 1/2 mile.

Interesting survey.

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Friday afternoon the arrival of many units started the weekend. The RV'rs are nice, agreeable people. However, there were a lot of young people who insisted on racing up and down the dirt roads in their vehicles covering everyone else with dust. There were young people drinking and disturbing the peace each night. I don't think we will go to Holter again.

Very nice, clean, healthy fun loving place.

Spread the sites out and don't change so damn much.

This site is very scenic and relazing. An RV dump and water outlets on the front row would be nice. The 24 hr occupancy is something that should be looked at in a different way although the 14 day rule

Very nice spot--we use it about twice a year for fishing with camper or motel.

Neighbors ran generator excessively! Some use is fine but our site was very close to theirs and it was very annoying listening to it for 6 hours a day!

A dump station in the area-toward the back would be very nice. Even one where you had to pay for the use.

Law enforcement patrols of the area is good as people seemed more respectful of others than in the past.

The road needs to be improved. Very hard to pass with a camper or boat. Need more boat slips.

More trees at campsite

Good fish cleaning facility.

We were very satisfied, we could look out our front window and see the beautiful and pretty mountains.

They keep things pretty clean. It is just overcrowded in the summer months.



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Hopefully you will give attention to maintaining good fishing and management of the environment.

Great except for above.

In spite of 28a. We enjoyed it here very much.

It was beautiful and lots of trees strategically grown for shade.

Like the improvements, thank you.

Too crowded.

**Lonesomehurst  
Campground**

Very satisfied.

I have always been very satisfied with this site.

Have camped on Hebgen for 52 years. I love it.

The reason this site is so popular is because the campsites are close to the water. Also, because of location, there are inherent, the best protection from wind for boats on the lake. This campground should be expanded and another campground built across the bay.

Answer this: The forest service continually wants to move campsites away from the lake and this attitude ruined Rainbow Point. It shouldn't be that the private cabin owner would be the only one to enjoy the lakeside.

The campgrounds are great but becoming overcrowded. We would like to see campgrounds on the North side of the lake.

Hebgen Lake has always been a favorite of our family since 1941 we love the lake and surrounding area. This is the first trip to this particular campsite.

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I love the site except for the dust & road into here.

The bathrooms were clean. The water (drinking) was good & convenient.

Sites vary in size but are quite adequate for most needs. Hosts keep bathrooms in excellent condition.

Like location of site. Very beautiful.

### **Madison Arm Resort**

I would never consider going back there again nor would it ever get my recommendation to any family member or any friends from this country considering a visit to W. Yellowstone. There are other campsites available in W.Y. and with a management team considerate of it's campers. This is our final visit to the Madison Arm Resort.

We are very pleased with our stay here & if we return to this area will probably stay here.

Thank you for giving such a wonderful place. See ya

Besides the fact that we have continued to come year after year, we have encouraged others to visit.

We were very satisfied. Great view, perfect location.

The people who run it are great and they keep it in good shape.

Extremely clean, well kept, lots of facilities.

We have enjoyed Madison Arm Resort for almost 20 years. A most enjoyable summer vacation. We usually spend about 2 months in our travel trailer.

Completely satisfied. I am looking forward to spending the next week in Missoula, nice area.

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We were very satisfied both times we've visited and will go back.

We are planning a family reunion and this resort was where we planned to have it. However, we will be going elsewhere because of the severe overcrowding.

The site was too close to others and we could not find a site to be all alone.

**Morony Dam Public Access**

Overall love the sites.

Road repair needed from highway to Maroney dam.

**North Shore Public Access**

Keep it simple - no need to further develop this site.

Best fishing trip yet.

It's close to town and when we visit out here it's quiet and peaceful. It's as close as you can get to being natural this close to town.

As above good and enjoyable.

Quiet, enjoyable

We love the River Trail! It is wonderful, especially for cruising with the wheelchair. The River Trail, this scenic area, nature, wildlife, and Giant Springs are the treasures of this area.

I love the trail.

The trail is a handy place to go outside and get some exercise. It's good for families and friends of all ages.

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I love to come here to rollerblade or bike. I come here almost every day in the summer.

Nice area.

It's wonderful.

Very satisfied.

Not a lot of people.

Trail walking was not crowded. Lots of benches to view the river.

**Powerhouse River Access**

Satisfied. Hope trout fishing improves. It is not easy in or out and should stay this way.

**Rainbow and Lewis and Clark Overlooks**

The disappointing part is that a dam was constructed right where the falls is, destroying the natural appearance of the falls. Shame on whoever made that decision.

Lived in Havre and Cut Bank for approximately 15 years before moving to Idaho. Love Montana. As a history major and as a graduate of NMC I enjoy the landscape and the falls and the Lewis and Clark stuff.

My family likes to go on walks here during the summer.

I love it.

I think it is a great place to visit all year long.

Very beautiful park and will come back again. Good job Montana.

It is beautiful.

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This is a wonderful place to get back in touch with yourself. I love to walk or ride my bike on the trail. Great place to relieve stress.

Completely satisfied.

Best exhibit on L & C I've ever seen.

It gives me a sense of serenity and spirit.

OK

Very beautiful countryside.

The bike path is wonderful.

It's always quiet and a very pleasant place to walk.

Liked the Info.

I am very satisfied with this site.

**Rainbow Point  
Campground**

Pretty area, sites not too close together, restrooms clean.

This is a wonderful site but too expensive for fixed income people.

We all enjoy the trees in the campsite. The lake offers everything we enjoy. We come here several times each summer and have enjoyed our time, as a family, at Rainbow Point.

This is a good area for family to take their kids to, to get them off the streets. The cost is too high, some families can't afford to pay \$150 for 10 days of camping.

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The sites were clean - had no problems with other campers, etc. We do miss the wood that used to be provided however.,

We were dissatisfied with barking dogs and Four-wheelers. Other than that we had a very enjoyable time. This is our third visit here and we will be back.

Stop the use of ATV's. Pump out the toilets more often.

We just love it!

OK

Good

We would have liked to have a map of the area especially the lake. We really enjoyed our trip and will come to Hebgen again.

We enjoy the area.

The boat ramp needs to be repaired bad.

Enjoyed our stay.

**Red Canyon Scarp  
Interpretive Site**

We enjoy it as it is.

**Red Mountain  
Campground**

We enjoy this area mostly for the floating and some fishing. All seems to go very well.

I was pleased to see that during our float trip we could get out to use bathrooms and picnic tables.

This is a nice camp spot.

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Very peaceful setting.

**Riverside SRA**

The area is very nice--was very quiet & enjoyed being a lone camper. Were a few boaters but did not bother us. We would come back to the area for just enjoying scenery & history of area!

(Name)

I like it. Fish would be better.

I would have personally been more satisfied if I'd have had better luck fishing.

I was very satisfied with the fishing, and the rangers. Everyone was hospitable.

When I have children here the sheriff makes rounds which is very nice and reassuring. Thank you!

Well satisfied.

Fish cleaning station is needed.

**Rumbaugh Ridge Fishing Access**

This site fills my need for solitude and some good fishing at times.

We do not want the local to get mad at us--our cabins which are now so high in rent of less than one acre of ground and out of sight from the lake or the public road should not be open to the public for regularly held meetings of those local groups.

Regular checkups by Forest Service people at evening times would be much more effective.

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Everything was dirty, there was litter everywhere. People were rude, yelling all day, walking through our camp and letting their dogs run. There was no ranger presence to help with any problems.

**Ryan Island Day Use Area**

Very good site.

This site has always been very nice to visit. It's been clean, safe and clean and fun to use.

Very nice. Pleasant place to stop and have lunch.

I like it.

Very nice

Always enjoy our trip here.,

I always enjoy this area - only wish the hornets/wasps were not so bothersome.

It is very nicely kept up here and very pretty with lots of room to play.

Just Fine

Excellent area.

We are touring Montana, this is our 9th trip to different states. Every year we have found Montana to be the friendliest so far. Great people, great places.

Very satisfied.

Love it here.



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I always bring friends and family here to picnic because it is natural and a good place to play frisbee, cook a hamburger, and relax.

Too bad the dam spoils the falls.

Awesome

Very satisfied.

Very good.

Beautiful.

**Speciman Sound Park**

I feel the development of the rivers edge trail has been exceptional and hope it continues. It's an asset to Great Falls.

I really enjoy coming here. I come every morning before work and frequently at lunch.

**Spring Creek  
Campground**

OK

The dog leash law is a little tight.

It's great. You are the best.

It is paradise!

What makes this camp site nice is the ability to camp close to the water and not have a lot of restrictions or camping fees.

**Squaw Island West Bank  
Park**

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Nice.

We've been using this section of the trail for several years, at least three times a week. We enjoy the walk and watching the birds, it's close to our home and always clean and well maintained.

It is a terrific site to have lunch at during lunch hour. There are usually plenty of geese/ducks to watch. It is quiet, evenb though it is bordered by some industrial-type businesses. There are more than enough places to park and picnic with adequate garbage cans.

Love it!

It's my favorite place for walking.

Great place to view waterfowl.

I like to walk here every morning.

It's great, fine and a great place for lunch!

### **The Boat Loft**

Would like to see the road paved into Log Gulch, and additional gravel put down to keep down the dust. Log Gulch has improved greatly; keep up the good work.

Much motivation for visiting comes from friends who own a cabin on the lake. Without this factor, we would probably not visit the lake much--too many people and we don't own a boat.

We enjoy it here because it's pretty & close to home. We like to bring our grandchildren & friends here. Wish there weren't so many mtn. Lions so we would get our deer back.

We enjoy our cabin here.

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I wish roads were kept up. Piss poor for the amount of taxes paid for them.

It's a great location

Ok--that's why I use it.

The fishing has gone to pot for trout. For years I was in the 10% bracket that caught 80% of the fish, now it has reversed.

Love the site. Have grown up with this site since age 5 yrs.

The site is slowly being degraded due to increasing usage. Efforts to promote this area should not be conducted so that local Montanans can have a little enjoyment without the crowds and the restrictions and limitations, that crowds cause.

This site is well managed. It's clean and staff are courteous.

If they set the rules they should enforce them!

See above. Also the unique beauty and wildlife are very pleasing to us.

I enjoy this area a lot.

I like the new day use development at Log Gulch. However, campsites were removed where the new fish cleaning station is. 10 more campsites at Log Gulch need to be developed.

Good

**Trail Creek**

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Satisfied

**Warm Springs Access**

Great site. Easily accessible, lots of parking.

Great fishing!

Good spot for take-out.

It's great! We love it how it is!

Sure wish the fishing was better.

I love all of the Madison River parkway. I float the rivers as much as possible and I have no complaints about any put in or take out sites. Being from Montana I filled this out the best I could.

Woo Hoo!

Only problem I have is the number of float boats--but this is a personal dislike and has nothing to do with the site itself.

It's nice Montana cares!

Overcrowded by people. Too many people ruin the experience and the fishing.

Need more fish. I think this site is fished out. Been coming here for many years and this is the worst fishing I have experienced.

Great fishing.

**West Shore Public Access**

Been here many times, keep coming back.

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I have been fishing this lake for over 40 years and still enjoy it.

New porta potty's and campfire rings are nice. No more development is needed.

Madison County has a terrible Knapweed problem. I have never seen their weed problem addressed. The gravel roads getting to most sites are always rough.

It's the only spot to launch a boat safely without getting stuck so it works.

**Wolf Creek FAS**

I don't know if you have anything to do with these next two points or not; if you don't I apologize but could you tell me who I should be talking to.

I wish they would stop messing with the amount of fish you can catch in this area.

Also, I'm not happy with the push to get motors on the river. I think the river belongs to everyone and we should all be able to enjoy it whether it be in a boat or on the shore. I am very courteous to everyone on the river; I expect the same from them. In 1996 we rescued a man from Pennsylvania that was near drowning from the river, a motor boat was the only thing that could get to him. Ask him how he feels about motors on the river.

Friendly rangers giving to access to anglers.  
Financial recognition for landowners who improve properties which enhances the river and it's banks.

We enjoyed it very much.

Good.

Best trout fishing in the WORLD!

This river is beautiful and a great fishery. No further development is required to bring mor people to the area.

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Just a short canoe trip on the beautiful Missouri on a Sunday afternoon! It was lovely, natural and mostly undeveloped.

It's difficult to determine if this survey is for the launch site or the overall float experience. The most important things for anglers using this area frequently is a good boat ramp, parking area & toilets. I personally fish this river 20 to 30 times a year.

Probably my biggest concern for recreation in the state is the mostly out of state people buying up land along rivers and surrounding parks and forests. Then not allowing the public access. If this trend continues it will cause more and more pressure on other recreational sites and thus degrade the quality.

Very nice boat ramp. Clean restroom.

I think it is totally inappropriate to allow power boats on this section of the river. It is too small (I saw one boat run aground- flow was 4200) One boat disrupted the fishing for 50-70 anglers each time it ran up and down the river at high speed.

Use primarily for fishing access and opportunity. Felt site was adequate.

Banks and river were litter free. I appreciate and respect that.

The site and the local people are wonderful. Do not allow for any further development. The Dam authority needs to provide access to Dam resource management information.

Generally satisfied

**Yellowstone Holiday  
Resort**

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Overall - satisfied. However, the state of Montana is way behind in recreational facilities and access to sites. Enforcement of fee collections for day users needs to be improved. Enforcement of water regulations is almost non-existent, ie. No wake areas, etc. Bottom line - too many people, too few rec. sites. Public access very limited compared to other western states.

Scenic beauty is wonderful. Area is great without a lot of development- what Montana should be. We love this area and spend most every summer here.

We have come to this site for many years & my folks before us. Kinda like "home"--love the people, scenery and fishing.

We've been coming here for many years (25) and the fishing is still great.

We have been coming to this place for 45 years. We started with our parents and now we are grandparents and still passing down the tradition.

**York Bridge Fishing  
Access**

Not crowded at this time.

It's a good place to ski, boat, fish, etc. Not windy.

I've always preferred this docking spot.

Appears to be clean, free of litter, and well maintained.

I really enjoy this site but I find the camping restrictions to be too restrictive (max of 7 days in a 30 day period). Would like to see it returned to 14 days.

Concrete on pad is bubbled and very dangerous, needs desperate repair. Water is un-usable. But we still come back and enjoy. Montana is going too far with "day use only" access. We pay enough for licenses, taxes, etc. to have great camping areas taken away.

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Always kept clean - including rest rooms and very nice people.

I enjoy the fishing, scenery, and the friendly campground.

Location.

Needs more lawn for tents.

When camping while doing water sports, we never camp where our campsite is remote to where the boat is tied up.

Nice quiet area. Few people.

Just fine.

It was a pleasant experience for the most part considering it is one of the busiest boat ramps I have ever seen. The amount of traffic is a concern with the small children in our group.

We enjoy this camp because it is close to Helena, our home. Our grandkids enjoy it very much. The road is good and easy to get to.

Had a great time.

The campground host was very nice.

The campground hosts are a couple of the nicest people I've encountered. They are part of why we enjoy this site so much.

Numerous small sites like this one are much better than a few big ones. Canyon Ferry in particular has many miles of undeveloped shoreline which would & should be made available to the public.



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N	30	14	16	8	4	12	2	7	32	6	3
Comments regarding management of the site.											
Good management	44.4%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	31.6%	.0%	.0%
Clean	44.4%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%
Need repairs-maintenance-cleaning	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	21.1%	.0%	.0%
Do not overdevelop-keep it natural	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	10.5%	100.0%	.0%
Well maintained	33.3%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good campground hosts	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.5%	.0%	.0%
Friendly people at site	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%
Trash problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Ok	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%
Maintenance-management has improved-like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%
Fee expensive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.5%	.0%	.0%
Conflict with other users	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	50.0%	.0%
Leave as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs more bathrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very enjoyable	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Crowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poorly maintained-poor management	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better enforcement of rules	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better auto and boat parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned with fish issues	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more campsites	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to spray weeds	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Keep it free-low cost	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%
Good parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Uncrowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Management not visible	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Good restrooms	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Hebgen lake too low	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Safe and Secure	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Change name to Sandy Beach	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good scenery	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Conflict with land owners	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better signage	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Not much to manage	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need dust control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Over developed	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	100.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Receptive to suggestions	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need food source	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not like low water	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need graded road	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water should be allowed to rise quicker	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need level campsites	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
MPC needs to keep site open	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep it clean	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to allow overnight camping	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need boat ramps on both sides	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good campground	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Love Madison Arms Resort	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has not changed in years	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate livestock	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%
Need cement handicap docks	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep site privately owned	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Need fewer rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%
Protect ecosystem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Parking lot too big	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Want less hassle with fees	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Let people sleep in	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good guide	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	Cabin Creek Campground	Hebgen Dam Day Use Area	Dam Building Destruction Site	Highway Destruction Site	Kirkwood Picnic Site	Hebgen Lake Interp. Site	Red Canyon Scarp Interp. Site	Earthquake Area Interp. Site	Rainbow Point Campground	Horse Butte Lookout Picnic Site	Madison River Picnic Site
Enjoy few restrictions at site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many changes by new owners	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Reservations were easy to make on Internet	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
More trails-better hiking access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Sites should be made available to more people	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need concrete parking lots and boat landings	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site											
	Bakershole Campground	Lonsomehurs Campground	Cherry Creek Campground	Rumbaugh Ridge Fishing Access	Spring Creek Campground	Campfire Lodge Resort	Kirkwood Ranch Motel and Marina	Hebgen Lake Motel and Campground	Lake Cabins and Happy Hour Bar	Lakeview Cabins and Happy Hour Bar	Yellowstone Holiday Resort	Madison Arm Resort
N	55	38	15	11	27	34	19	3	14	32	35	
Comments regarding management of the site.												
Good management	50.0%	35.7%	25.0%	.0%	40.0%	85.7%	50.0%	.0%	40.0%	28.6%	44.4%	
Clean	22.7%	.0%	.0%	66.7%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	28.6%	5.6%	
Need repairs-maintenance- cleaning	4.5%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	16.7%	
Do not overdevelop-keep it natural	.0%	7.1%	50.0%	33.3%	40.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Well maintained	13.6%	7.1%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	16.7%	
Good campground hosts	27.3%	35.7%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	
Friendly people at site	4.5%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	21.4%	16.7%	50.0%	.0%	14.3%	11.1%	
Trash problem	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	
Ok	9.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%	
Maintenance-management has improved- like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	
Fee expensive	4.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	
Conflict with other users	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	

Leave as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs more bathrooms	4.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	5.6%
Very enjoyable	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Crowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poorly maintained-poor management	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%
Need better enforcement of rules	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%
Need better auto and boat parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned with fish issues	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more campsites	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to spray weeds	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep it free-low cost	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Uncrowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Management not visible	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	Bakershole Campground	Lonsomehurst Campground	Cherry Creek Campground	Rumbaugh Ridge Fishing Access	Spring Creek Campground	Campfire Lodge Resort	Kirkwood Ranch and Marina	Hebgen Lake Motel and Campground	Lakeview Cabins and Happy Hour Bar	Yellowstone Holiday Resort	Madison Arm Resort
Good restrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Hebgen lake too low	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%
Safe and Secure	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Change name to Sandy Beach	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good scenery	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Conflict with land owners	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better signage	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Not much to manage	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need dust control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%
Over developed	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Receptive to suggestions	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need food source	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not like low water	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%
Need graded road	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Water should be allowed to rise quicker	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need level campsites	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%
MPC needs to keep site open	4.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep it clean	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to allow overnight camping	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need boat ramps on both sides	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good campground	4.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Love Madison Arms Resort	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%
Site has not changed in years	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate livestock	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need cement handicap docks	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep site privately owned	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need fewer rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Protect ecosystem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Parking lot too big	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Want less hassle with fees	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Let people sleep in	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good guide	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	Bakershole Campground	Lonsomehurst Campground	Cherry Creek Campground	Rumbaugh Ridge Fishing Access	Spring Creek Campground	Campfire Lodge Resort	Kirkwood Ranch Motel and Marina	Hebgen Lake Motel and Campground	Lakeview Cabins and Happy Hour Bar	Yellowstone Holiday Resort	Madison Arm Resort
Enjoy few restrictions at site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many changes by new owners	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%
Reservations were easy to make on Internet	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%
More trails-better hiking access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Sites should be made available to more											

people	4.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need concrete parking											
lots and boat											
landings	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	West Shore	East Side	Meadow Lake	Kobayashi	Trail Creek	Fall Creek	Powerhouse	Red	Warm	Black's	Lakeshore
	Public	Fishing	Fishing	(Sandy)			River	Mountain	Springs	Ford	Lodge
	Access	Access	Access	Beach			Access	Campground	Access		
N	12	3	3	34	9	6	5	21	47	55	37

Comments regarding

management of the site.											
Good management	.0%	.0%	.0%	13.3%	33.3%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	23.1%	35.0%	80.0%
Clean	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	15.0%	.0%
Need repairs-maintenance-cleaning	33.3%	.0%	100.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	10.0%	10.0%
Do not overdevelop-keep it natural	.0%	100.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.7%	5.0%	.0%
Well maintained	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.7%	10.0%	.0%
Good campground hosts	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Friendly people at site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trash problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	13.3%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	25.0%	7.7%	5.0%	.0%
Ok	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Maintenance-management has improved- like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.7%	.0%	10.0%
Fee expensive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.7%	.0%	.0%
Conflict with other users	.0%	.0%	.0%	13.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	15.4%	.0%	.0%
Leave as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	26.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%
Needs more bathrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very enjoyable	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%
Crowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	25.0%	15.4%	.0%	.0%
Poorly maintained-poor management	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better enforcement of rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better auto and boat parking	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned with fish issues	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more campsites	.0%	.0%	100.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to spray weeds	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep it free-low cost	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.7%	5.0%	.0%
Good access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.7%	5.0%	.0%
Uncrowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Management not visible	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	West Shore	East Side	Meadow Lake	Kobayashi	Trail Creek	Fall Creek	Powerhouse	Red	Warm	Black's	Lakeshore



	Public Access	Fishing Access	Fishing Access	(Sandy) Beach			River Access	Mountain Campground	Springs Access	Ford	Lodge
Good restrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.0%	.0%
Hebgen lake too low	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Safe and Secure	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.0%	.0%
Change name to Sandy											
Beach	.0%	.0%	.0%	13.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good scenery	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.0%	.0%
Conflict with land											
owners	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better signage	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Not much to manage	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need dust control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Over developed	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Receptive to suggestions	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%
Need food source	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not like low water	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need graded road	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water should be allowed											
to rise quicker	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need level campsites	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
MPC needs to keep site											
open	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep it clean	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.7%	.0%	.0%
Need to allow overnight											
camping	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need boat ramps on both											
sides	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good campground	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Love Madison Arms Resort	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has not changed in											
years	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate livestock	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need cement handicap											
docks	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.0%	.0%
Keep site privately											
owned	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%
Need fewer rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Protect ecosystem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Parking lot too big	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Want less hassle with											
fees	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Let people sleep in	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good guide	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	West Shore Public Access	East Side Fishing Access	Meadow Lake Fishing Access	Kobayashi (Sandy) Beach	Trail Creek	Fall Creek	Powerhouse River Access	Red Mountain Campground	Warm Springs Access	Black's Ford	Lakeshore Lodge
Enjoy few restrictions at site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many changes by new owners	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Reservations were easy to make on Internet	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
More trails-better hiking access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Sites should be made available to more people	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need concrete parking lots and boat landings	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site		
	West US 84 -dispersed	East Side Beartrap Road- dispersed	Bear Trap Canyon
N	17	9	31
Comments regarding management of the site.			
Good management	50.0%	.0%	33.3%
Clean	.0%	50.0%	.0%
Need repairs-maintenance- cleaning	.0%	50.0%	.0%
Do not overdevelop-keep it natural	.0%	50.0%	22.2%
Well maintained	.0%	.0%	11.1%
Good campground hosts	.0%	.0%	.0%
Friendly people at site	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trash problem	50.0%	.0%	11.1%
Ok	.0%	.0%	.0%
Maintenance-management has improved- like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fee expensive	.0%	.0%	.0%
Conflict with other users	.0%	.0%	.0%
Leave as is	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs more bathrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very enjoyable	.0%	.0%	.0%
Crowded	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poorly maintained-poor management	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better enforcement of rules	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better auto and boat parking	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned with fish issues	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more campsites	.0%	.0%	.0%

Need to spray weeds	.0%	.0%	22.2%
Keep it free-low cost	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good parking	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good access	.0%	.0%	.0%
Uncrowded	50.0%	50.0%	.0%
Management not visible	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site		
	West US 84 -dispersed	East Side Beartrap Road- dispersed	Bear Trap Canyon
Good restrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%
Hebgen lake too low	.0%	.0%	.0%
Safe and Secure	.0%	.0%	.0%
Change name to Sandy Beach	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good scenery	.0%	.0%	.0%
Conflict with land owners	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better signage	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%
Not much to manage	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need dust control	.0%	.0%	.0%
Over developed	.0%	.0%	.0%
Receptive to suggestions	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need food source	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not like low water	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need graded road	.0%	.0%	11.1%
Water should be allowed to rise quicker	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need level campsites	.0%	.0%	.0%
MPC needs to keep site open	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep it clean	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to allow overnight camping	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need boat ramps on both sides	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good campground	.0%	.0%	.0%
Love Madison Arms Resort	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has not changed in years	.0%	.0%	.0%

Eliminate livestock	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need cement handicap docks	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep site privately owned	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need fewer rules	.0%	.0%	.0%
Protect ecosystem	.0%	.0%	.0%
Parking lot too big	.0%	.0%	11.1%
Want less hassle with fees	.0%	.0%	.0%
Let people sleep in	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good guide	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site		
	West US 84 -dispersed	East Side Beartrap Road- dispersed	Bear Trap Canyon
Enjoy few restrictions at site	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many changes by new owners	.0%	.0%	.0%
Reservations were easy to make on Internet	.0%	.0%	.0%
More trails-better hiking access	.0%	.0%	11.1%
Sites should be made available to more people	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need concrete parking lots and boat landings	.0%	.0%	.0%

Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	Black Sandy SRA	Causeway Fishing Access	York Bridge Fishing Access	County Park	Riverside SRA	Holter Dam Campground	Holter Lake Campground	Log Gulch Campground	Departure Point Day Campground	Beaver Creek Fishing Access	El Dorado Bar Mine Inc.
N	121	79	61	19	33	58	141	88	24	23	23
Comments regarding management of the site.											
Good management	42.1%	17.6%	52.2%	14.3%	40.0%	50.0%	41.5%	30.6%	42.9%	25.0%	57.1%
Need repairs-maintenance-cleaning	5.3%	5.9%	30.4%	14.3%	.0%	11.5%	15.1%	8.3%	.0%	.0%	14.3%
Need better enforcement of rules	12.3%	.0%	8.7%	14.3%	10.0%	11.5%	17.0%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Well maintained	3.5%	5.9%	8.7%	14.3%	20.0%	11.5%	1.9%	5.6%	14.3%	.0%	14.3%
Conflict with other users	3.5%	11.8%	4.3%	14.3%	10.0%	11.5%	3.8%	8.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Clean	3.5%	.0%	8.7%	.0%	10.0%	3.8%	3.8%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poorly maintained-poor											

management	7.0%	.0%	4.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	13.2%	8.3%	14.3%	.0%	14.3%
Do not overdevelop-keep it natural	1.8%	5.9%	4.3%	28.6%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	2.8%	14.3%	37.5%	.0%
Good campground hosts	5.3%	.0%	26.1%	.0%	20.0%	7.7%	1.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%
Fee expensive	10.5%	5.9%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	1.9%	2.8%	14.3%	.0%	.0%
Need better auto and boat parking	8.8%	.0%	4.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trash problem	.0%	17.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	1.9%	5.6%	14.3%	.0%	.0%
Concerned with fish issues	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%	.0%	12.5%	.0%
Crowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.7%	1.9%	2.8%	.0%	12.5%	.0%
Ok	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.9%	8.3%	14.3%	.0%	.0%
Management not visible	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more campsites	.0%	5.9%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	3.8%	1.9%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Friendly people at site	.0%	5.9%	4.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	11.8%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need dust control	7.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to spray weeds	1.8%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	12.5%	.0%
Needs a dump site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better insect control	1.8%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Maintenance-management has improved- like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need showers	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.9%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Bad-rude camp host a Court Sheriff	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	Black Sandy SRA	Causeway Fishing Access	York Bridge Fishing Access	County Park	Riverside SRA	Holter Dam Campground	Holter Lake Campground	Log Gulch Campground	Departure Point Day Campground	Beaver Creek Fishing Access	El Dorado Bar Mine Inc.
Need fewer rules	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need phone booth	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	3.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need full hookups	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need level campsites	3.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better camp hosts	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Slow Down Road Traffic	.0%	11.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
BLM has good management	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water too dirty	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more interpretation Campsites need to be	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%

more clearly marked	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very good historical interpretation	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
No fishing during spawning season	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	12.5%	.0%
Peaceful	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Not much to manage	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Less management	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Stop night fishing	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
FWP has bad management	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Over developed	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Want year round hunting-fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good fillet table	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need food source	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good handicapped access	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trail should stay with river	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need weather shelters	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not like low water	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more Walleye fish	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need barriers to prevent erosion	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs more bathrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
MPC needs to keep site open	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good signs	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Prefer catch and release	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to allow overnight camping	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need boat ramps on both sides	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	Black Sandy SRA	Causeway Fishing Access	York Bridge Fishing Access	County Park	Riverside SRA	Holter Dam Campground	Holter Lake Campground	Log Gulch Campground	Departure Point Day Campground	Beaver Creek Fishing Access	El Dorado Bar Mine Inc.
Need well for fresh water	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better food service	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%



Very good skipper	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not care about history	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better Fish Hatcheries Mgmt	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Would like to see more wildlife	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Longer hours for snack bar	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fish cleaning facility stinks	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more roadside parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Management too pushy	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Evident human impact on area	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	12.5%	.0%
Include road maintenance fee	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Protect ecosystem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Boat loft people are great	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good place for non-strenuous outdoor recreation	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good scenery	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good guide	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need warning signs for hazards	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good proximity to wildlife	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
RVs and trailers should pay more than autos	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Lewis and Clark center was very worth while	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not like closures	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need season passes offered at low price	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fire pits	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very enjoyable	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs electricity	1.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

survey site

	Devil's Elbow	Lakeside Resort	Holter Lake Lodge	The Boat Loft	Indian Trail Marina	Gates of the Mountains Inc.	Hauser Dam	Holter Dam
N	6	59	19	60	12	191	34	20
Comments regarding management of the site.								
Good management	.0%	26.7%	57.1%	52.4%	50.0%	43.2%	.0%	10.0%
Need								
repairs-maintenance-cleaning	50.0%	26.7%	28.6%	14.3%	.0%	4.5%	.0%	.0%
Need better enforcement of rules	.0%	13.3%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%
Well maintained	.0%	.0%	14.3%	9.5%	50.0%	11.4%	.0%	.0%
Conflict with other users	.0%	6.7%	.0%	9.5%	.0%	4.5%	10.0%	10.0%
Clean	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	22.7%	10.0%	10.0%
Poorly maintained-poor management	.0%	13.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Do not overdevelop-keep it natural	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	13.6%	10.0%	.0%
Good campground hosts	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Fee expensive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%
Need better auto and boat parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trash problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	10.0%
Concerned with fish issues	.0%	.0%	.0%	9.5%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%
Crowded	.0%	6.7%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%
Ok	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Management not visible	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more campsites	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Friendly people at site	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need dust control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to spray weeds	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	10.0%	.0%
Needs a dump site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better insect control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Maintenance-management has improved- like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Need showers	.0%	6.7%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Bad-rude camp host a Court Sheriff	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site							
	Devil's Elbow	Lakeside Resort	Holter Lake Lodge	The Boat Loft	Indian Trail Marina	Gates of the Mountains Inc.	Hauser Dam	Holter Dam
Need fewer rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	10.0%
Need phone booth	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need full hookups	.0%	6.7%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need level campsites	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better camp hosts	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Slow Down Road Traffic	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
BLM has good management	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water too dirty	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more interpretation	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Campsites need to be more clearly marked	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very good historical interpretation	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.5%	.0%	.0%
No fishing during spawning season	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%
Not much to manage	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Less management	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Stop night fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
FWP has bad management	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Over developed	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Want year round hunting-fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%
Good fillet table	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need food source	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good handicapped access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trail should stay with river	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need weather shelters	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not like low water	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Need more Walleye fish	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need barriers to prevent erosion	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs more bathrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
MPC needs to keep site open	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good signs	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%
Prefer catch and release	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to allow overnight camping	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need boat ramps on both sides	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site							
	Devil's Elbow	Lakeside Resort	Holter Lake Lodge	The Boat Loft	Indian Trail Marina	Gates of the Mountains Inc.	Hauser Dam	Holter Dam
Need well for fresh water	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better food service	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Very good skipper	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Do not care about history	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better Fish Hatcheries Mgmt	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Would like to see more wildlife	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Longer hours for snack bar	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Fish cleaning facility stinks	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more roadside parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%
Management too pushy	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Evident human impact on area	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Include road maintenance fee	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Protect ecosystem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Boat loft people are great	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good place for non-strenuous outdoor recreation	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Good scenery	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good guide	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Need warning signs for hazards	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good proximity to wildlife	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
RVs and trailers should pay more than autos	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Lewis and Clark center was very worth while	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%
Do not like closures	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%

Need season passes offered at low price	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fire pits	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very enjoyable	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs electricity	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	Wolf Creek FAS	Broadwater Bay Park	Speciman Sound Park	West Bank Park	Giant Springs Heritage State Park	Rivers Edge Trail	North Shore Public Access	Rainbow and Clark Overlooks	Ryan Island Day Use Area	Morony Dam Public Access	Dispersed sites from Giant Springs to Rainbow
N	45	60	26	32	116	47	13	97	119	29	15
Comments regarding management of the site.											
Good management	14.3%	16.7%	.0%	28.6%	28.0%	36.4%	.0%	31.3%	57.1%	.0%	33.3%
Well maintained	.0%	5.6%	16.7%	14.3%	16.0%	27.3%	.0%	18.8%	19.0%	.0%	.0%
Clean	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	12.0%	9.1%	.0%	6.3%	19.0%	.0%	.0%
Conflict with other users	28.6%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	18.2%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%
Need repairs-maintenance-cleaning	7.1%	11.1%	.0%	42.9%	4.0%	.0%	40.0%	6.3%	4.8%	.0%	.0%
Trash problem	7.1%	27.8%	.0%	.0%	4.0%	9.1%	40.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%
Do not overdevelop-keep it natural	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.0%	.0%	20.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Ok	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	4.0%	.0%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	33.3%
Fee expensive	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	12.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%
Need better enforcement of rules	7.1%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	9.1%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	33.3%	.0%
Need weather shelters	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	60.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good scenery	.0%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	4.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Lewis and Clark center was very worth while	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better auto and boat parking	.0%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like Rivers Edge Trail	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Leave as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	9.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful	.0%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Crowded	14.3%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Friendly people at site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more interpretation	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	12.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned with fish issues	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Maintenance-management has improved- like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.0%	.0%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to allow overnight camping	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better food service	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	8.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice Place for Families	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site										
	Wolf Creek FAS	Broadwater Bay Park	Speciman Sound Park	West Bank Park	Giant Springs Heritage State Park	Rivers Edge Trail	North Shore Public Access	Rainbow and Lewis and Clark Overlooks	Ryan Island Day Use Area	Morony Dam Public Access	Dispersed sites from Giant Springs to Rainbow
Manage for recreationists not outfitters or tourists	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%
Very enjoyable	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Uncrowded	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%
Less management	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like no leash law	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Management not visible	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Over developed	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poorly maintained-poor management	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep ferries open	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good campground hosts	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better insect control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need food source	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trail should stay with river	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not like low water	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Just out for a walk	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs more bathrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
MPC needs to keep site open	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has improved	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%
Silt needs to be cleaned from river	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need beach area	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs expanded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not add the Old Gt Sprngs to Gt Sprngs Park	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	9.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice showers	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Breach the Dam	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more roadside parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Bad campsite-concrete parking lot	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Interpretation for L and C site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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	survey site										
	Wolf Creek FAS	Broadwater Bay Park	Speciman Sound Park	West Bank Park	Giant Springs Heritage State Park	Rivers Edge Trail	North Shore Public Access	Rainbow and Lewis and Clark Overlooks	Ryan Island Day Use Area	Morony Dam Public Access	Dispersed sites from Giant Springs to Rainbow
Access to drive across dam	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need safety barriers	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate fee for day use	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more picnic areas close to water	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water level is a threat to outfitters clients	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very good historical interpretation	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fishing quality needs to be enhanced	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too close to refinery	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	9.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better access to water	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site					
	Carter Ferry	Black Eagle Overlook	Lewis and Clark Interp. Center	Fort Benton Boat Launch	Crooked Falls Overlook	Historic Train Exhibit/ Rivers Edge
N	28	89	142	43	35	82
Comments regarding management of the site.						
Good management	25.0%	42.1%	57.6%	28.6%	50.0%	58.8%
Well maintained	.0%	15.8%	9.1%	.0%	.0%	23.5%
Clean	.0%	.0%	9.1%	.0%	.0%	5.9%
Conflict with other						



users	25.0%	5.3%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	5.9%
Need						
repairs-maintenance-						
cleaning	.0%	.0%	3.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trash problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not overdevelop-keep						
it natural	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%
Ok	.0%	.0%	3.0%	28.6%	.0%	.0%
Fee expensive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%
Need better enforcement						
of rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need weather shelters	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%
Good scenery	.0%	.0%	6.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Lewis and Clark center						
was very worth while	.0%	5.3%	12.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better auto and						
boat parking	.0%	.0%	6.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like Rivers Edge Trail	.0%	15.8%	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%
Leave as is	25.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Crowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Friendly people at site	.0%	.0%	6.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more interpretation	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned with fish						
issues	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Maintenance-management						
has improved- like						
improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to allow overnight						
camping	.0%	.0%	3.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better food service	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice Place for Families	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

survey site						
	Carter Ferry	Black Eagle Overlook	Lewis and Clark Interp. Center	Fort Benton Boat Launch	Crooked Falls Overlook	Historic Train Exhibit/ Rivers Edge

Manage for  
recreationists not  
outfitters or

tourists	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very enjoyable	.0%	.0%	3.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Uncrowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Less management	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%
Like no leash law	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Management not visible	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Over developed	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poorly maintained-poor management	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep ferries open	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good campground hosts	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better insect control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need food source	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trail should stay with river	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not like low water	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Just out for a walk	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs more bathrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%
MPC needs to keep site open	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has improved	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Silt needs to be cleaned from river	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need beach area	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs expanded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%
Do not add the Old Gt Springs to Gt Sprngs Park	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice showers	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%
Breach the Dam	.0%	.0%	3.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more roadside parking	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Bad campsite-concrete parking lot	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Interpretation for L and C site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%

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Table 1. Visitor Comments Regarding the Management of the Site

	survey site					
	Carter	Black Eagle	Lewis and	Fort Benton	Crooked	Historic

	Ferry	Overlook	Clark Interp. Center	Boat Launch	Falls Overlook	Train Exhibit/ Rivers Edge
Access to drive across dam	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need safety barriers	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate fee for day use	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%
Need more picnic areas close to water	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water level is a threat to outfitters clients	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Very good historical interpretation	.0%	.0%	3.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fishing quality needs to be enhanced	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too close to refinery	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better access to water	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

## Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Satisfaction With the Site

Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site										
	Cabin Creek Campground	Hebgen Dam Day Use Area	Building Destruction Site	Highway Destruction Site	Kirkwood Picnic Site	Hebgen Lake Interp. Site	Red Canyon Scarp Interp. Site	Earthquake Area Interp. Site	Rainbow Point Campground	Horse Butte Lookout Picnic Site	Madison River Picnic Site
N	30	14	16	8	4	12	2	7	32	6	3
Comments regarding satisfaction with the site.											
Very satisfied	70.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	.0%	20.0%	100.0%	.0%	28.6%	.0%	.0%
Good scenery	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	60.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%
Good land-based facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%
Ok - pretty good	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	35.7%	.0%	.0%
Clean	40.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%
Need repairs - maintenance - cleaning	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%
Well maintained	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Overcrowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Will come back	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fee excessive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%
Few people / uncrowded	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Unsatisfied	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to enforce limits / rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good access	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fishing has declined	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Noise problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful/relaxing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need expanding	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need RV dump station	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Will not return	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better bug control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Prefer less restrictions	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Liked historical elements	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has improved / like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good restrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Bug problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Keep as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like water fountains	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like area kept natural	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Mostly undeveloped	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site										
	Cabin Creek Campground	Hebgen Dam Day Use Area	Building Destruction Site	Highway Destruction Site	Kirkwood Picnic Site	Hebgen Lake Interp. Site	Red Canyon Scarp Interp. Site	Earthquake Area Interp. Site	Rainbow Point Campground	Horse Butte Lookout Picnic Site	Madison River Picnic Site
Need trash cans	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to repair boat ramp	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good docks	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%
Kids enjoy site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%
Need full hookups	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice people	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good interpretive materials	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Dislike weekends / weekends noisy	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poor fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned about environmental / wildlife health	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like National Forest camping	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water was yellow	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Campfire Lodge was wonderful	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many guides and outfitters	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate ORV use	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%
Great site for all	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site										
	Bakershole Campground	Lonsomehurs t Campground	Cherry Creek Campground	Rumbaugh Ridge Fishing Access	Spring Creek Campground	Campfire Lodge Resort	Kirkwood Ranch Motel and Marina	Hebgen Lake Motel and Campground	Lakeview Cabins and Happy Hour Bar	Yellowstone Holiday Resort	Madison Arm Resort
N	55	38	15	11	27	34	19	3	14	32	35
Comments regarding satisfaction with the site.											
Very satisfied	47.6%	66.7%	40.0%	33.3%	60.0%	100.0%	66.7%	.0%	.0%	80.0%	66.7%
Good scenery	14.3%	22.2%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	40.0%	8.3%
Good land-based facilities	19.0%	11.1%	40.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Ok - pretty good	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Clean	9.5%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need repairs - maintenance - cleaning	.0%	11.1%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Well maintained	14.3%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	8.3%
Great fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	40.0%	.0%
Overcrowded	.0%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%
Will come back	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	8.3%
Fee excessive	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	100.0%	.0%	.0%
Few people / uncrowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Unsatisfied	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	100.0%	.0%	.0%	8.3%
Need to enforce limits / rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	66.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%
Good access	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fishing has declined	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	100.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Noise problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful/relaxing	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need expanding	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need RV dump station	9.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Will not return	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%
Need better bug control	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Prefer less restrictions	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Liked historical elements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has improved / like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good restrooms	.0%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Bug problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like water fountains	.0%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like area kept natural	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%
Mostly undeveloped	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site											
	Bakershole Campground	Lonsomehurst Campground	Cherry Creek Campground	Rumbaugh Ridge Fishing Access	Spring Creek Campground	Campfire Lodge Resort	Kirkwood Ranch and Marina	Hebgen Motel Campground	Lake and Cabins Happy Hour Bar	Lakeview Cabins and Bar	Yellowstone Holiday Resort	Madison Arm Resort
Need trash cans	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to repair boat ramp	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good docks	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Kids enjoy site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need full hookups	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice people	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good interpretive materials	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Dislike weekends / weekends noisy	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poor fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned about environmental / wildlife health	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like National Forest camping	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water was yellow	4.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Campfire Lodge was wonderful	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many guides and outfitters	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate ORV use	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great site for all	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site										
	West Shore Public Access	East Side Fishing Access	Meadow Lake Fishing Access	Kobayashi (Sandy) Beach	Trail Creek	Fall Creek	Powerhouse River Access	Red Mountain Campground	Warm Springs Access	Black's Ford	Lakeshore Lodge
N	12	3	3	34	9	6	5	21	47	55	37
Comments regarding satisfaction with the site.											
Very satisfied	40.0%	50.0%	.0%	62.5%	50.0%	.0%	100.0%	.0%	40.0%	57.1%	62.5%
Good scenery	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	14.3%	12.5%
Good land-based facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	10.0%	.0%	12.5%
Ok - pretty good	20.0%	.0%	.0%	37.5%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	25.0%	10.0%	7.1%	.0%
Clean	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%
Need repairs - maintenance - cleaning	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Well maintained	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%	.0%
Overcrowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%



Will come back	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fee excessive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Few people / uncrowded	.0%	.0%	100.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%
Unsatisfied	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to enforce limits / rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fishing has declined	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%
Noise problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful/relaxing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%
Need expanding	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need RV dump station	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%
Will not return	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better bug control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Prefer less restrictions	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Liked historical elements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has improved / like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%
Good restrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Bug problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	12.5%
Keep as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	100.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like water fountains	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like area kept natural	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Mostly undeveloped	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site										
	West Shore Public Access	East Side Fishing Access	Meadow Lake Fishing Access	Kobayashi (Sandy) Beach	Trail Creek	Fall Creek	Powerhouse River Access	Red Mountain Campground	Warm Springs Access	Black's Ford	Lakeshore Lodge
Need trash cans	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%
Need to repair boat ramp	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%
Good docks	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Kids enjoy site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need full hookups	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice people	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good interpretive materials	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Dislike weekenders / weekends noisy	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poor fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%

Concerned about environmental / wildlife health	20.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like National Forest camping	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water was yellow	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Campfire Lodge was wonderful	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many guides and outfitters	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate ORV use	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great site for all	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site		
	West US 84 -dispersed	East Side Beartrap Road- dispersed	Bear Trap Canyon
N	17	9	31

Comments regarding satisfaction with the site.			
Very satisfied	66.7%	.0%	83.3%
Good scenery	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good land-based facilities	.0%	.0%	33.3%
Ok - pretty good	.0%	.0%	.0%
Clean	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need repairs - maintenance - cleaning	33.3%	.0%	.0%
Well maintained	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%
Overcrowded	33.3%	.0%	.0%
Will come back	33.3%	.0%	.0%
Fee excessive	.0%	.0%	.0%
Few people / uncrowded	.0%	.0%	16.7%
Unsatisfied	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to enforce limits / rules	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good access	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fishing has declined	.0%	.0%	.0%
Noise problem	.0%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful/relaxing	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need expanding	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need RV dump station	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%
Will not return	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better bug control	.0%	.0%	.0%
Prefer less restrictions	.0%	.0%	.0%
Liked historical elements	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has improved / like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good restrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%
Bug problem	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep as is	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like water fountains	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like area kept natural	.0%	.0%	.0%
Mostly undeveloped	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

----- survey site -----			
	West US 84	East Side	Bear Trap

	-dispersed	Beartrap Road- dispersed	Canyon
Need trash cans	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to repair boat ramp	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good docks	.0%	.0%	.0%
Kids enjoy site	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need full hookups	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice people	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good interpretive materials	.0%	.0%	.0%
Dislike weekenders / weekends noisy	.0%	.0%	.0%
Poor fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned about environmental / wildlife health	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like National Forest camping	.0%	.0%	.0%
Water was yellow	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%
Campfire Lodge was wonderful	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many guides and outfitters	.0%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate ORV use	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great site for all	.0%	.0%	.0%

Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site										
	Black Sandy SRA	Causeway Fishing Access	York Bridge Fishing Access	County Park	Riverside SRA	Holter Dam Campground	Holter Lake Campground	Log Gulch Campground	Departure Point Day Campground	Beaver Creek Fishing Access	El Dorado Bar Mine Inc.
N	121	79	61	19	33	58	141	88	24	23	23
Comments regarding satisfaction with the site.											
Very satisfied	46.2%	15.4%	37.5%	33.3%	71.4%	35.7%	40.9%	40.7%	33.3%	20.0%	71.4%
Good scenery	7.7%	15.4%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	21.4%	2.3%	7.4%	.0%	40.0%	.0%
Ok - pretty good	10.3%	23.1%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	21.4%	4.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Overcrowded	5.1%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	15.9%	7.4%	16.7%	.0%	.0%
Clean	5.1%	.0%	12.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	13.6%	3.7%	16.7%	.0%	.0%
Need expanding	5.1%	7.7%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	9.1%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	14.3%
Site has improved / like improvements	12.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	11.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Other visitor behavior disruptive	.0%	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	11.4%	11.1%	.0%	20.0%	.0%
Need repairs - maintenance - cleaning	7.7%	7.7%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	14.3%
Well maintained	5.1%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.5%	3.7%	16.7%	20.0%	.0%
Good land-based facilities	5.1%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.5%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice people	.0%	.0%	12.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Enjoy wildlife	.0%	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%
Unsatisfied	10.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%
Need to enforce limits / rules	2.6%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	4.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Liked boat tour	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great fishing	.0%	15.4%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good water recreation - boating facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	7.4%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Few people / uncrowded	.0%	.0%	12.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%
Will come back	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not overdevelop	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	2.3%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Overdeveloped	5.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%
Fishing has declined	2.6%	15.4%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Prefer less restrictions	2.6%	.0%	12.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Liked historical elements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful/relaxing	.0%	7.7%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not mind fees	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	14.3%
Good access	.0%	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good restrooms	2.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%
Fee excessive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site											
	Black Sandy SRA	Causeway Fishing Access	York Bridge County Fishing Access	Park	Riverside SRA	Holter Dam Campground	Holter Lake Campground	Log Gulch Campground	Departure Point Day Campground	Beaver Creek Fishing Access	El Dorado Bar Mine Inc.	
Good campsites	2.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Keep as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Need more fish	2.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Concerned about environmental / wildlife health	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Handicapped accessible	.0%	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Need more signs to direct visitors	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Good gutting tables	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.4%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Need better road	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Need RV dump station	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Need more seclusion / privacy	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Good docks	2.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Kids enjoy site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Need full hookups	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	16.7%	.0%	.0%	
Poor fishing	2.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Good camp hosts	.0%	.0%	12.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Great guides	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Boat captain very good	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
More trees	2.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Survey was pleasant and convenient	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Noise problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Needs beautification	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Need to complete trail	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Need to control kids	.0%	.0%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Would like graded road	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Weeknights pleasant	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Good loading ramp	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Too much animal poop	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Grass needs mowed/cut	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Concerned with lasting access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Campsites not shaded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Like area kept natural	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	
Eliminate jet skis /												

powerboats	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Mostly undeveloped	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like privacy	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need showers	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site										
	Black Sandy SRA	Causeway Fishing Access	York Bridge Fishing Access	County Park	Riverside SRA	Holter Dam Campground	Holter Lake Campground	Log Gulch Campground	Departure Point Day Campground	Beaver Creek Fishing Access	El Dorado Bar Mine Inc.
Seagulls are a problem when cooking outside	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need fish cleaning station	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Dislike closures / reduced access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Out of staters should have to pay more	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep it quiet	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%
Safe / secure	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Enjoys not being infested with weeds	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	.0%
Need water tap	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Increase fees	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too loud	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Dust problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	14.3%
Want 30 amp power available	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more boat slips	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many guides and outfitters	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Police patrols are good	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better restrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Informative/good guide	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site							
	Devil's Elbow	Lakeside Resort	Holter Lake Lodge	The Boat Loft	Indian Trail Marina	Gates of the Mountains Inc.	Hauser Dam	Holter Dam
N	6	59	19	60	12	191	34	20
Comments regarding satisfaction with the site.								
Very satisfied	.0%	33.3%	33.3%	52.9%	50.0%	81.8%	53.3%	20.0%
Good scenery	100.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	7.3%	.0%	40.0%
Ok - pretty good	.0%	26.7%	.0%	11.8%	.0%	.0%	13.3%	.0%
Overcrowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	11.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%	40.0%
Clean	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%
Need expanding	.0%	.0%	33.3%	5.9%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Site has improved / like improvements	.0%	.0%	.0%	11.8%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%
Other visitor behavior disruptive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need repairs - maintenance - cleaning	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%
Well maintained	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%
Good land-based facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%
Nice people	.0%	13.3%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%
Enjoy wildlife	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%



Unsatisfied	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to enforce limits / rules	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%
Liked boat tour	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.9%	.0%	.0%
Great fishing	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	13.3%	.0%
Good water recreation - boating facilities	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Few people / uncrowded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%
Will come back	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	20.0%
Do not overdevelop	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%
Overdeveloped	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fishing has declined	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Prefer less restrictions	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Liked historical elements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.5%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful/relaxing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not mind fees	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good access	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good restrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fee excessive	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site							
	Devil's Elbow	Lakeside Resort	Holter Lake Lodge	The Boat Loft	Indian Trail Marina	Gates of the Mountains Inc.	Hauser Dam	Holter Dam
Good campsites	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%
Keep as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.8%	13.3%	.0%
Need more fish	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned about environmental / wildlife health	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Handicapped accessible	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%
Need more signs to direct visitors	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%
Good gutting tables	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better road	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need RV dump station	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more seclusion / privacy	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good docks	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Kids enjoy site	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need full hookups	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Poor fishing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good camp hosts	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great guides	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%
Boat captain very good	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%
More trees	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Survey was pleasant and convenient	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Noise problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Needs beautification	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to complete trail	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to control kids	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Would like graded road	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Weeknights pleasant	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%
Good loading ramp	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too much animal poop	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Grass needs mowed/cut	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Concerned with lasting access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Campsites not shaded	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like area kept natural	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%
Eliminate jet skis / powerboats	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Mostly undeveloped	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like privacy	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need showers	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site							
	Devil's Elbow	Lakeside Resort	Holter Lake Lodge	The Boat Loft	Indian Trail Marina	Gates of the Mountains Inc.	Hauser Dam	Holter Dam
Seagulls are a problem when cooking outside	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need fish cleaning station	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Dislike closures / reduced access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%
Out of staters should have to pay more	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep it quiet	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Safe / secure	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

Enjoys not being infested with weeds	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need water tap	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Increase fees	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too loud	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Dust problem	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Want 30 amp power available	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.7%	.0%
Need more parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need more boat slips	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too many guides and outfitters	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%
Police patrols are good	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better restrooms	.0%	6.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Informative/good guide	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	.0%

Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site										
	Wolf Creek FAS	Broadwater Bay Park	Speciman Sound Park	West Bank Park	Giant Springs Heritage State Park	Rivers Edge Trail	North Shore Public Access	Rainbow and Clark Overlooks	Ryan Island Day Use Area	Morony Dam Public Access	Dispersed sites from Giant Springs to Rainbow
N	45	60	26	32	116	47	13	97	119	29	15

Comments regarding satisfaction with the site.											
Very satisfied	38.5%	70.0%	50.0%	75.0%	57.9%	58.3%	.0%	47.1%	66.7%	.0%	33.3%
Good land-based facilities	.0%	.0%	50.0%	37.5%	5.3%	16.7%	.0%	11.8%	5.6%	.0%	.0%
Good scenery	15.4%	.0%	.0%	12.5%	15.8%	16.7%	50.0%	17.6%	11.1%	50.0%	16.7%
Ok - pretty good	15.4%	10.0%	.0%	.0%	10.5%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	11.1%	.0%	16.7%
Liked historical elements	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%	11.8%	.0%	.0%	16.7%
Enjoy wildlife	.0%	.0%	.0%	37.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%
Prefer less restrictions	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%
Good water recreation - boating facilities	7.7%	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Well maintained	7.7%	.0%	.0%	12.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Peaceful/relaxing	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	11.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Few people / uncrowded	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	8.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good place for bike ride / walk	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	11.8%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better bug control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%
Good access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	16.7%
Clean	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%
Good presentation	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice people	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Will come back	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great asset to the community	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Other visitor behavior disruptive	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need repairs - maintenance - cleaning	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Speakers need more time	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to complete trail	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to control kids	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good restrooms	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need expanding	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Too much animal poop	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site										
	Wolf Creek	Broadwater	Speciman	West Bank	Giant	Rivers Edge	North Shore	Rainbow and Ryan Island	Morony Dam	Dispersed	

	FAS	Bay Park	Sound Park	Park	Springs Heritage State Park	Trail	Public Access	Lewis and Clark Overlooks	Day Use Area	Public Access	sites from Giant Springs to Rainbow
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Concerned with lasting access	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need pathway steps	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Outside not very impressive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Like water fountains	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Will not return	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good parking	.0%	.0%	.0%	12.5%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Has lots of benches to view river	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	8.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good place to get together with friends	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	8.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to repair boat ramp	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Kids enjoy site	.0%	10.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Road repair needed from highway to Moroney Dam	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	50.0%	.0%
Interesting site	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Do not overdevelop	7.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Canoe-friendly populace	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Dislike dams	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fish hatchery is a positive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trail is outstanding	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
The dam spoils the falls	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%
Will recommend to friends/family	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site					
	Carter Ferry	Black Eagle Overlook	Lewis and Clark Interp. Center	Fort Benton Boat Launch	Crooked Falls Overlook	Historic Train Exhibit/Rivers Edge
N	28	89	142	43	35	82
Comments regarding satisfaction with the site.						
Very satisfied	66.7%	61.1%	75.0%	66.7%	83.3%	42.9%
Good land-based facilities	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%	16.7%	38.1%
Good scenery	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	16.7%	19.0%
Ok - pretty good	33.3%	5.6%	3.6%	.0%	.0%	4.8%
Liked historical elements	.0%	.0%	25.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Enjoy wildlife	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Prefer less restrictions	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good water recreation - boating facilities	.0%	.0%	.0%	33.3%	.0%	.0%
Well maintained	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%
Peaceful/relaxing	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Few people / uncrowded	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good place for bike ride / walk	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better bug control	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%
Good access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Clean	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good presentation	.0%	.0%	7.1%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Nice people	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Will come back	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Great asset to the community	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%
Other visitor behavior disruptive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need better access	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need repairs - maintenance - cleaning	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%
Speakers need more time	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to complete trail	.0%	5.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need to control kids	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Good restrooms	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need expanding	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%
Too much animal poop	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%

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Table 2. Visitor Comments Regarding Their Satisfaction with the Site

	survey site					
	Carter Ferry	Black Eagle Overlook	Lewis and Clark Interp. Center	Fort Benton Boat Launch	Crooked Falls Overlook	Historic Train Exhibit/Rivers Edge
Concerned with lasting access	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Need pathway steps	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Keep as is	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Outside not very impressive	.0%	.0%	3.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%
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Dislike dams	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Fish hatchery is a positive	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Trail is outstanding	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.8%
The dam spoils the falls	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
Will recommend to friends/family	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%