

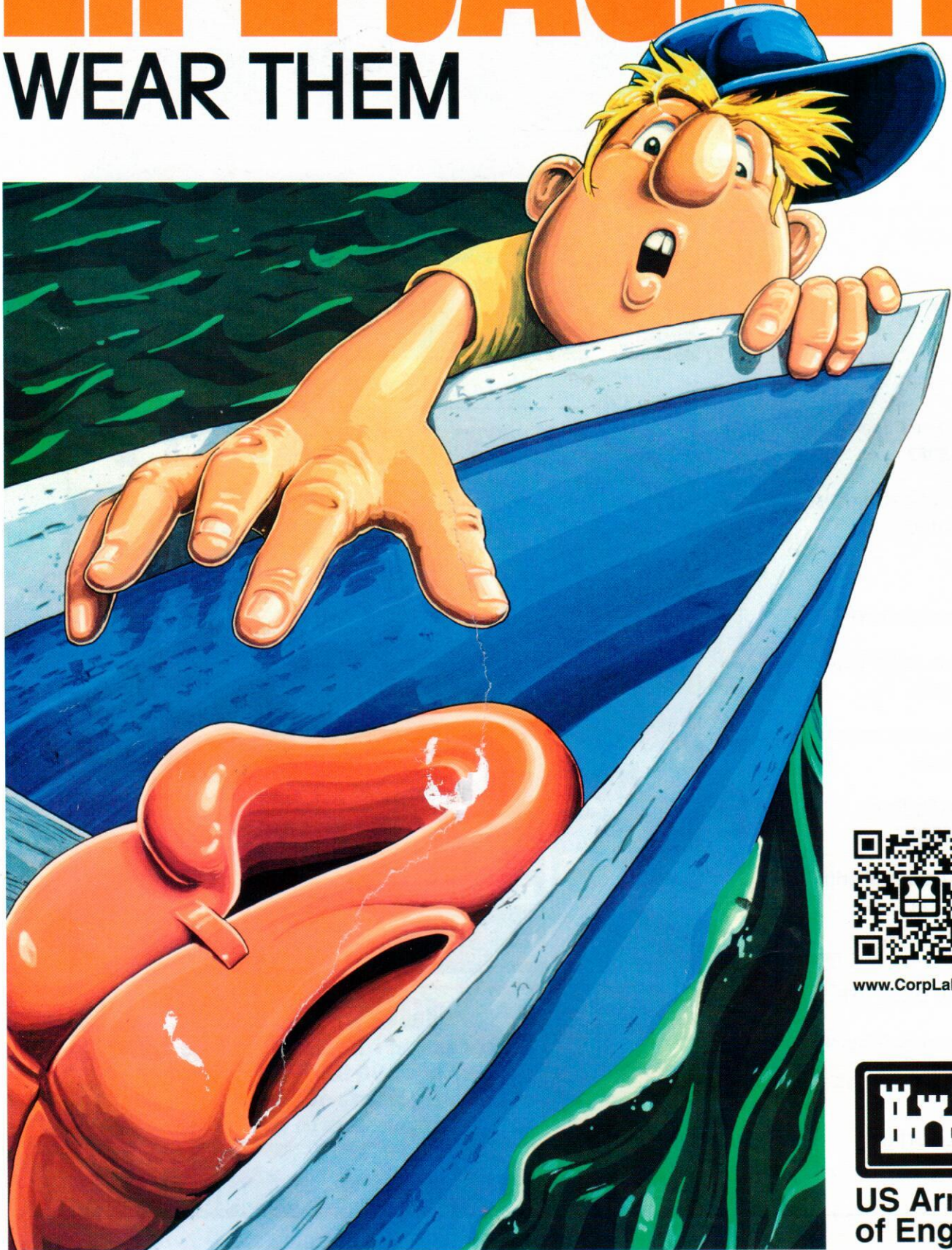


# GUIDE TO FORT GIBSON LAKE

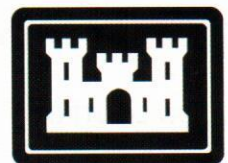
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# WELCOME TO FORT GIBSON LAKE

The rolling hills of eastern Oklahoma provide the perfect backdrop for a day on the water at beautiful Lake Fort Gibson. Take in the natural beauty of the area while you explore this 21,798-acre lake near Wagoner. Surrounded by the Fort Gibson Wildlife Management Area to the east and beautiful Sequoyah State Park to the west, a trip to Fort Gibson Lake is full of possibilities for outdoor fun.

Whether you're looking for some fishing therapy, a boating adventure or a leisurely swim, you'll make memories that will last a lifetime.

*For more information, visit the Fort Gibson Lake Association online at [FortGibsonLakeAssociation.org](http://FortGibsonLakeAssociation.org) or stop by our visitor center at 300 S. Dewey Ave., Wagoner.*



## U.S. Corps of Engineers Day Use

The Corps offers several boat ramps, two designated swim beaches, eight group shelters and various picnic sites.

### Day Use Fees:

Boat Launch	\$5 per day
Area Day Use - Rocky Point	\$5 per day
Swim Beach	\$2 per person or \$5 per car
Annual Day Use Pass	\$40

### Group Shelters:

Blue Bill (BBS)

Dam Site (DS)

Flat Rock (FRS)

Rocky Point (RPS)

^ Reserve online at [recreation.gov](http://recreation.gov)

Dam Site - reserve through [www.recreation.gov](http://www.recreation.gov)

Overlook - reserve through [www.recreation.gov](http://www.recreation.gov)

Taylor Ferry Beach - No reservation; first come, first serve

Taylor Ferry North - Reserve through Fort Gibson Corps of Engineers Lake office - 918-682-4314

Wildwood - Reserve through Fort Gibson Corps of Engineers Lake office - 918-682-4314

With the exception of the Taylor Ferry Beach shelter, all others may be reserved for \$50 per day.



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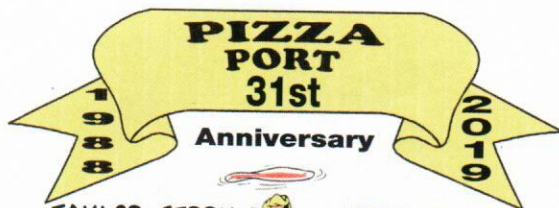
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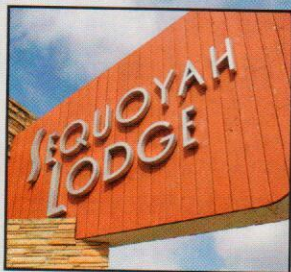
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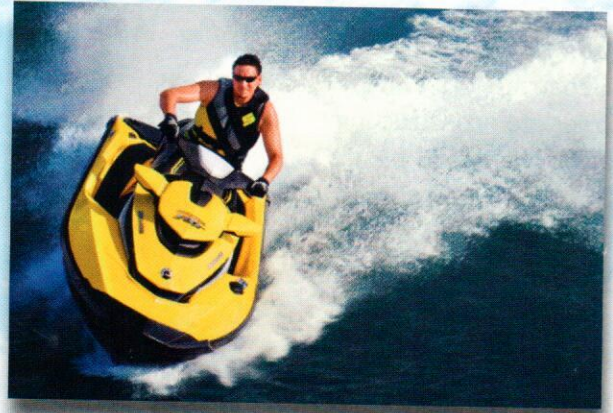


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## Hunting Guide to Lake Fort Gibson

Hunting at Fort Gibson Lake is in accordance with applicable federal and state fish and wildlife regulations. Generally, all Army Corp of Engineers lands are open to the public for hunting except developed recreational areas and lands around the dam and other structures.

Duck hunters must obtain a permit from the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife prior to constructing duck blinds and blinds must be removed at the close of waterfowl season. Hunters wishing to obtain current hunting regulations or construct duck blinds on Corps lands must contact the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation by calling 405-521-2739.

Hunting is prohibited in all public use areas.

Camping is allowed in designated areas only.



**A 4,500-acre state waterfowl refuge is managed by the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation**

Vehicles must remain on established roads. Public lands leased or licensed for private use are also open to public hunting and fishing. The lessee, in order to protect personal property, may be authorized to lock gates or prohibit nonofficial vehicles. However, this in no way prohibits public use of the area or prevents foot access across the land. The lessee or licensee is entitled to compensation from persons causing damage to crops or facilities belonging to them.

The construction or the use of permanent stands utilizing nails, screws or bolts to secure stands to trees is prohibited. The use of portable deer stands is permitted.

Additional information and regulations governing use of Corps land or water as outlined in the Title 36 Code of the Federal Regulations may be obtained at the Corp of Engineers Fort Gibson Lake Office, 8568 HWY 251-A, Fort Gibson.

## Restricted Hunting

Several tracts of Corps Project lands are available to Oklahoma hunters for restricted hunting.

***The following areas are open for hunting of all species which may legally be taken during open seasons by archery equipment and shotgun with pellets only:***

- 300 acres on the north side of North Bay
- 800 acres on the south side of Chouteau Creek, starting at Highway 69 and running east and south to Highway 33
- 320 acres across the lake from the Chouteau Bend Recreation Area
- 480 acres on the west side of Mallard Bay
- 650 acres on Pryor Creek beginning on the east side of Highway 69 in sections 29, 30 and 31
- 103 acres in Section 13 of the Blue Bill Point housing addition
- 190 acres in the south half of section 12, north of the Blue Bill Recreation Area
- 160 acres west of the town of Murphy
- 120 acres west of the town of Hulbert

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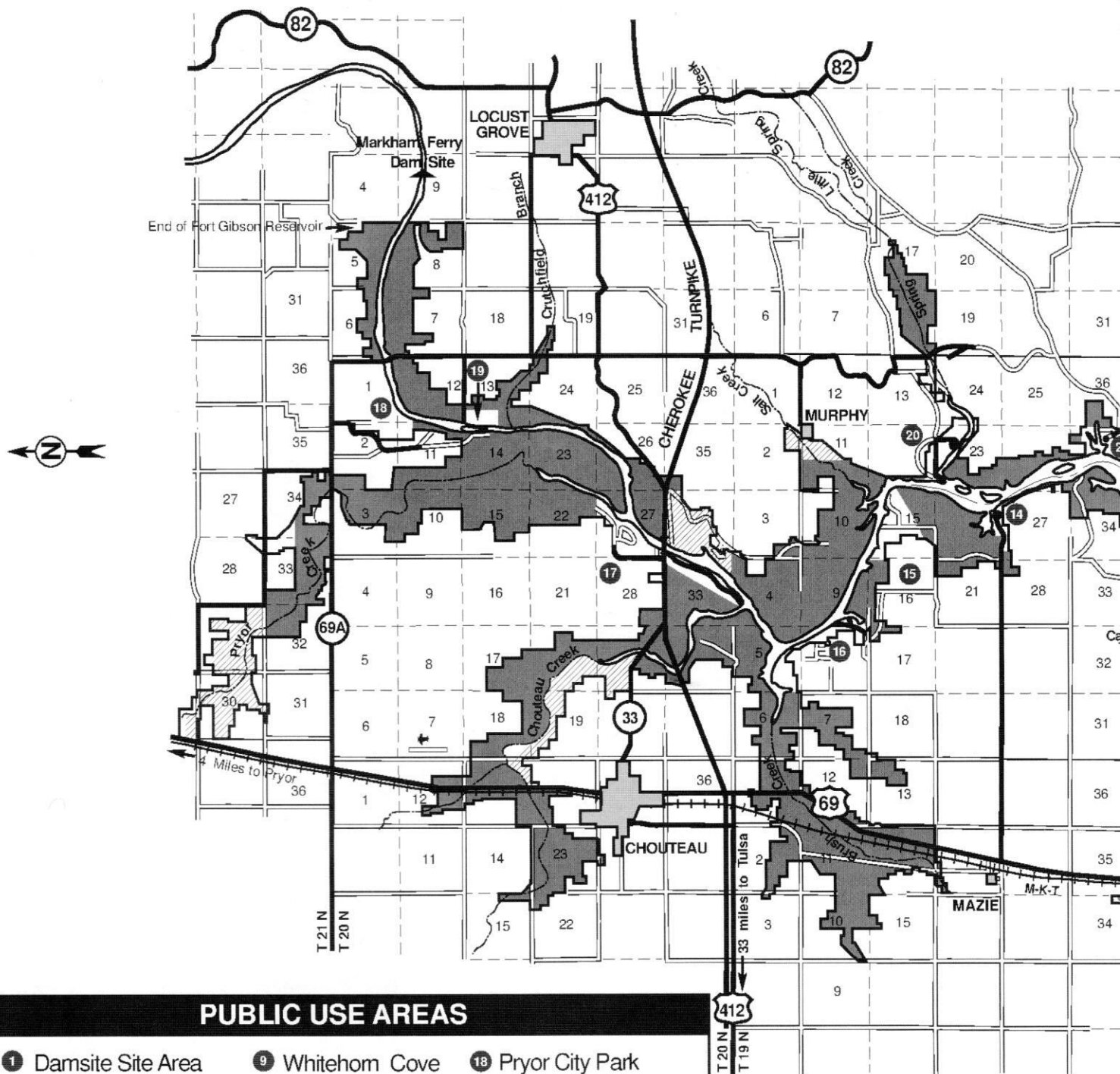
- 515 acres on the south side of Mallard Bay
- 360 acres on the north side of the mouth of North Bay
- 50 acres south of the Jackson Bay area
- 150 acres on the northeast end of Ranger Creek
- 70 acres on the upper end of Pryor Creek adjacent to the east side of Highway 69
- 488 acres on the south side of Whitehorn Cove concession
- 100 acres in the Snug Harbor Area
- 320 acres on the south side of North Bay
- 320 acres on the north side of Long Bay
- 36 acres in Section 6, T16N, R20E
- 77 acres on the north shore of Ranger Creek
- 166 acres west of Taylor Ferry South Park in sections 20 and 21, T17N, R19E





# FORT GIBSON LAKE

PUBLIC HUNTING AREA

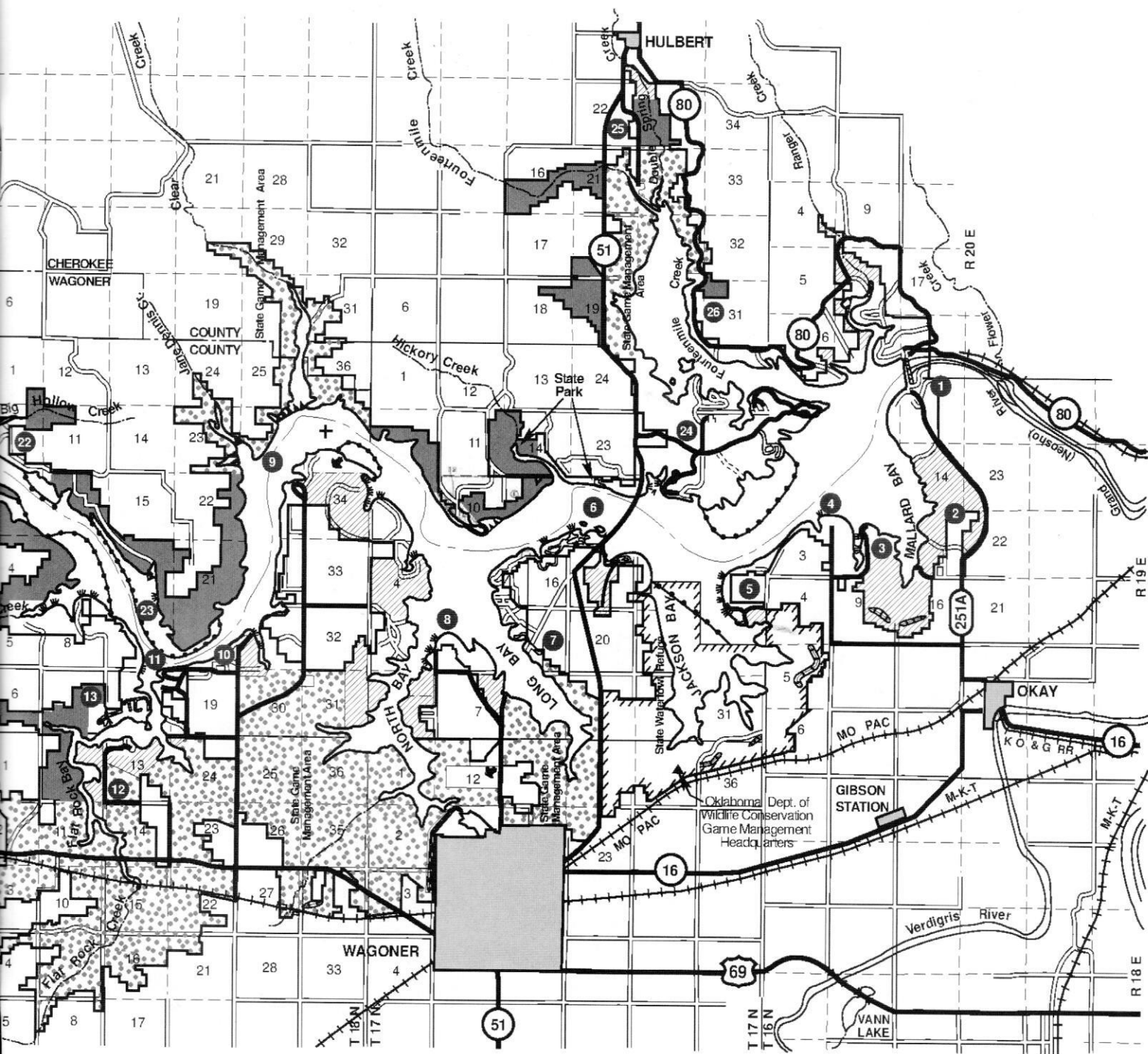


## PUBLIC USE AREAS

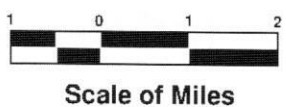
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| 1 Damsite Site Area              | 9 Whitehorn Cove    | 18 Pryor City Park     |
| 2 Mallard Bay                    | 10 Snug Harbor      | 19 Low Water Dam       |
| 3 Wahoo Bay                      | 11 Rocky Point      | 20 Spring Creek        |
| 4 Sequoyah State Park (Bay Area) | 12 Blue Bill Point  | 21 Earbob Ferry        |
| 5 Jackson Bay                    | 13 Flat Rock Creek  | 22 Big Hollow          |
| 6 Taylor Ferry                   | 14 Three Finger Bay | 23 Big Bend            |
| 7 Long Bay Landing               | 15 Mission Bend     | 24 Sequoyah State Park |
| 8 Toppers                        | 16 Mazie Landing    | 25 Hulbert Landing     |
|                                  | 17 Chouteau Bend    | 26 Wildwood            |

## LEGEND

- |  |               |  |                  |
|--|---------------|--|------------------|
|  | Paved Road    |  | Uncleared        |
|  | Improved Road |  | Project Boundary |
|  | Brush Rows    |  | Dotted Area      |
|  | Uncleared     |  | Hatched Area     |



Corps Areas Open For Hunting  
 State Areas Open For Hunting  
 See Restrictions



**RESERVOIR DATA**  
 Power pool El. 554.0  
 225 approx. shoreline miles at El. 554.0  
 Total project land & water acreage 72249



**US Army Corps of Engineers**  
 Tulsa District

### Camping - U.S. Corps of Engineers Sites:

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers operates six Class A campgrounds and two primitive camping areas on the lake. Park attendants oversee fee collection during the peak season of April 1 - September 30. Entrance gates open at 6 a.m. and lock at 10 p.m..

Camping reservations may be made for dates during the peak season in person at the gate or in advance through Recreation One Stop (ROS), which provides a nationwide reservation system for many state and federally managed facilities. Contact the ROS by phone at 877-444-6777 or make your reservation online at [www.recreation.gov](http://www.recreation.gov)

Some campgrounds remain open through March 31; however, campers must pay by self deposit. Volunteers are available during the walk-in only camping season. Camping in undesignated areas is prohibited.

### Campgrounds & Rates per night:

Blue Bill Point	918-476-6638
Dam Site	918-682-4314
Flat Rock Creek	918-476-6766
Rocky Point	918-462-2042
Taylor Ferry South	918-485-4792
Non-Electric	\$14
30 AMP	\$18
50 AMP	\$20
Wildwood	918-682-4314
30 AMP	\$18
50 AMP	\$20
Jackson Bay	FREE
Wahoo Bay	FREE



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## Rules & Regulations

**Registration:** All campers and their visitors must check in with the gate attendant at the park office. The office is open 12 p.m. - 10 p.m. during peak season.

**Occupancy:** The maximum number of people per site is eight. No more than one wheeled camping unit is allowed per site. In general, no more than three tents are allowed per site. Size of tents and available space are considered.

**Reservations:** Check in by 5 p.m. - Check out by 3 p.m.

**Length of Stay:** No camping unit will be allowed to stay longer than 14 consecutive days on one site.

**Vehicles:** All vehicles must be street legal with tags and stay on established roads.

**Animals:** All pets must be restrained by a leash less than six feet in length. Animals are prohibited in restrooms and at designated swim beaches.

**Fireworks:** Possessing or exploding fireworks on government property is prohibited.

**Noise:** Quiet hours are from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m.. Unreasonable or excessive noise/music at any time is prohibited.

**Garbage:** Dumpsters are consolidated in a central location. Take all trash to the dumpsters. Bagged trash will not be collected at the campsites. Fire rings and grills are not to be used as trash bins.



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## Boating Basics: Before Going Out



### File a Float Plan

Before going out on a vessel, it is always a good idea to leave a float plan with a relative or friend, or at least with a local marina. A float plan should:

- Describe the vessel, including its registration number, length, make, horsepower, and engine type.
- State where you are going, the detailed route, your planned departure time, and your expected return time.
- Give the name, address, and telephone number of each person on board and an emergency contact.

### Pre-Departure Checklist

You can help assure a good time while operating your vessel by performing this pre-departure check.

- Check the weather forecast for the area and time frame during which you will be boating.
- Make sure that the steering and throttle controls operate properly and all lights are working properly.
- Check for any fuel leaks from the tank, fuel lines, and carburetor.
- Check the engine compartment for oil leaks.
- Check hose connections for leaks or cracks, and make sure hose clamps are tight.
- Drain all water from the engine compartment, and be sure the bilge plug is replaced and secure.
- Check to be sure you have a fully charged engine battery and fire extinguishers.
- If so equipped, make sure the ignition safety switch and wrist lanyard are in good order.
- Make sure you have the required number of personal flotation devices (PFDs), and check that they are in good condition.
- Leave a float plan with a reliable friend or relative.



## Oklahoma Required Boating Equipment Checklist

Required Equipment	PWC	Boat Less than 16'	Boat 16' to Less than 26'
Certification of Registration on Board	✓	✓	✓
Validation Decals Displayed	✓	✓	✓
PFDs: Type I, II, III, or V (one per person)	✓	✓	✓

Those on Personal Water Craft must wear a personal flotation device (PFD) at all times. Children under 13 years of age must wear a PFD whenever underway on a vessel less than 26 feet in length.

PFD: Type IV	N/A	N/A	✓
Type B-1 Fire Extinguisher	✓	✓	✓
Ignition Safety Switch	✓	N/A	N/A
Backfire Flame Arrestor	✓	Required on inboard and stem drives only	Required on inboard and stem drives only
Ventilation System	✓	✓	✓
Muffler	✓	✓	✓
Horn, Whistle or Bell	✓	✓	✓
Daytime Visual Distress Signals	N/A	N/A	Required only if operating on federally controlled waters
Nighttime Visual Distress Signals	Required only if operating on federally controlled waters	Required only if operating on federally controlled waters	Required only if operating on federally controlled waters
Navigation Lights	✓	✓	✓

✓ Indicates equipment is required by state law

## Lake Association Member Business Directory

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### BANKS

Arvest  
1521 HWY 51, Wagoner  
866-952-9523

BancFirst  
111 S. Casaver Ave., Wagoner  
918-485-2173

### LAUNDRY

Wagoner Laundry Mat  
700 W. Cherokee St., Wagoner  
918-485-2920

### LAWN CARE

Ultimate Lawn Care  
Wagoner  
918-384-9987  
ultimatelawnareok@gmail.com  
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### MARINAS

Paradise Cove Marina  
2429 Park 56, Hulbert  
918-869-8371 or 918-772-3270  
paradisecovemarina@yahoo.com

Pelican Point Marina  
34179 Marina Drive, Wagoner  
918-485-3006  
info@PelicanPoints.com  
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### MOBILE HOME SALES

The Home Store  
2400 N 32nd, Muskogee  
918-608-9112  
www.homestoreltd.com

### RESTAURANTS

Pizza Port  
33923 State HWY 51, Taylor Ferry  
918-485-5000

### RV SERVICE & PARTS

Earl's Lake Country RVs  
2601 S 32nd St., Muskogee  
918-682-4504

### STORAGE

Fort Gibson Boat-RV-Mini Storage  
32968 HWY 51, Wagoner  
918-485-0595  
formula1@valornet.com

### VETERINARIAN

Animal Clinic of Wagoner  
29584 HWY 51, Wagoner  
918-485-4202  
drpeters75@hotmail.com

### WINERY

One Crazy Old Fart's Winery  
Wagoner, 918-527-2724  
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**CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE**

Fort Gibson 918-478-4780  
 Muskogee 918-682-2401  
 Wagoner 918-485-3414

**FIRE**

Fort Gibson Fire Department  
 918-478-4221  
 Taylor Ferry Fire Department  
 918-485-9500  
 Toppers Volunteer Fire Dept.  
 918-485-9999  
 Wagoner Fire Department  
 918-485-8082  
 Whitehorn Rural Fire District  
 918-485-2100

**LAW ENFORCEMENT**

Fort Gibson Police Department  
 918-478-2610  
 Okay Police Department  
 918-687-6585  
 Wagoner City Police  
 918-485-5511  
 Wagoner County Sheriff  
 918-483-2821

**RECYCLING DROP OFF**

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 918-584-0584

**POISON CONTROL**

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**BOATING SAFETY**

**Controlled Area**      **Danger**      **Boats Keep Out**

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**Boating Rules of the Road**

<p>One Short Blast Pass To Right</p>	<p>One Short Blast Maintain Course</p>	<p>Two Short Blasts Maintain Course</p>	<p>Crossing Privileged Boat on Right. Pass Astern.</p>
<p>Overtaking One Blast Right Two Blasts Left</p>	<p><b>100 Foot Rule</b>                  Proceed at idle speed or less when within 100 feet of distance of stationary boats or water craft, docks, or persons in the water.</p>		

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