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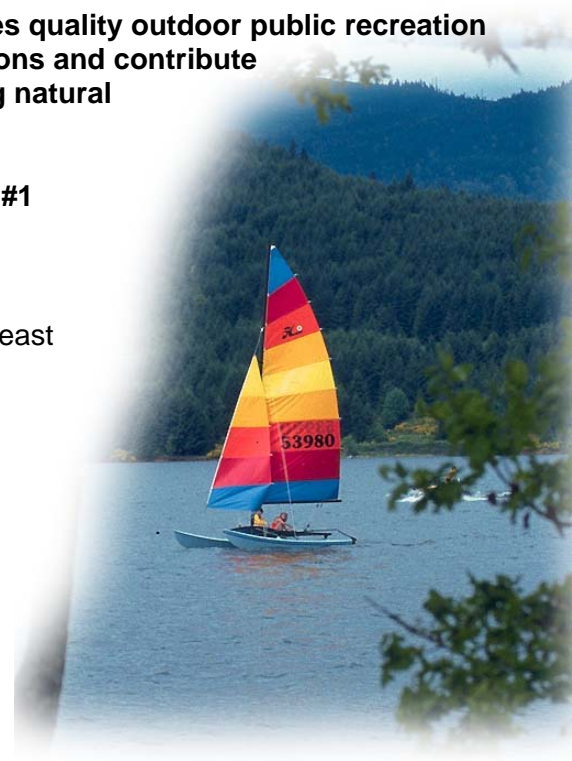
**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers:**

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## Recreation Program Statistics

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers recreation program provides quality outdoor public recreation experiences to serve the needs of present and future generations and contribute to the quality of American life, while managing and conserving natural resources consistent with ecosystem management principles.

- Corps rank among federal providers of outdoor recreation: **#1**
- Visitors per year: **353 million**
- Percentage of U.S. population that visits a Corps project at least once a year: **10%**
- Number of recreation sites: **4,263 at 423 Corps Projects**
- Percentage of U.S. population that lives within 50 miles of a Corps Lake: **70%**
- Land and water used for recreation: **12 million acres**
- Miles of Shoreline: **55,024**
- Number of camp sites: **91,320**
- Miles of trails: **4,606**
- Number of boat launch ramps: **3,448**
- Share of all U.S. freshwater fishing: **33%**
- Fishing tournaments per year: **20,000**
- Money spent by visitors at Corps projects: **\$18 billion**
- Jobs (full and part time) supported by recreation: **350,000**
- Concession areas on Corps projects: **500**
- Gross fixed assets: **\$1 billion**
- Volunteers at Corps projects: **59,686 worked more that 1.9 million hours providing \$37.5 million value of service**



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