

Managing Public Access

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Considerations

- Authority, Regulations, Rules, Policy, Procedures
- Planning – area, locations, use, goals, time
- Funding – budget (development, O&M)
- Time/travel issues – where to put in and take out, companion sites critical as well as signage at each location, trespass issues
- Water hazards – obstacles, barriers, rapids

More to consider

- Type of water and watercraft
- Type of water and water use
- Partnerships (power companies, other government agencies (State/Federal), local jurisdictions, private land owners, businesses)
- Cooperative Agreements
- Standards, criteria (site selection, maintenance)
- Operations and Maintenance (care, safety)
- Staffing
- Communication

DGIF Partnerships

- Number of public boating access facilities currently in DGIF inventory is 225
- State property - 116 (DGIF, VDOT, VDCR, VDOF)
- Local jurisdictions – 77 (Counties, Cities, Towns)
- Federal property - 8 (USFS, USACE)
- Power companies – 23 (AEP, TVA, Dominion)
- Manufacturing - 1

Questions

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