

# Lake Tschida / Heart Butte Reservoir 2021 Recreation Survey

Resource Management Plan User Survey

Please refer to the Heart Butte Reservoir Map on the DKAO website for recreation area locations

## Lake Tschida Recreation



1. Has Lake Tschida been your primary lodging destination? If yes, which campground? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- YES
- NO
- Rimrock Campsites
- Crappie Creek Campsites
- Koehlers Point Campsites
- Schatz Point Campsites
- Gilligans Hilltop Electical Campsites
- Gilligans Cabin
- Rimrock Hilltop Cabins
- Downstream Campsites
- Downstream Cabins
- Sled Creek Campsites
- Southside Campsites
- Rattlesnake Point Campsites



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Marina

3. Do you own a boat?

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes

No

4. Are you now renting marina space for your boat?

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes

No

I do not own a boat

5. Would you consider renting a mooring space at Lake Tschida if a space was available for your boat and the price was comparable to marina mooring space rental prices at other lakes/reservoirs?

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes

No

I do not own a boat

6. If you were to rent marina space at Lake Tschida, which type would you prefer?

*Mark only one oval.*

- Mooring
- Open Slip
- Covered Slip
- Dry Storage
- I do not own a boat

7. Which goods and/or services would you use if a marina were provided at Lake Tschida? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- Boat launching ramp access
- Beer or other alcoholic beverages
- Bait, tackle, fishing supplies
- Restaurant or snack bar
- Boat fuel
- Campsite, motel, etc.
- Boat and/or motor rental
- Boat repairs
- Groceries
- Boating and water sports equipment (specify):

Other:  \_\_\_\_\_

Recreation Activities

8. What recreation activities did you or other members of your party participate in while visiting Lake Tschida during the last 12 months? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- Relaxing
- Sunbathing
- Bicycling
- Motorboating
- Bank Fishing
- Hunting
- Swimming
- Picnicking
- Horseback Riding
- Sailing
- Soccer/Football
- Using Playgrounds
- Walking/Hiking
- Observing/Photographing wildlife or nature
- Canoeing/Kayaking
- Water skiing
- Softball/Baseball/Frisbee
- Houseboating
- Driving for Pleasure
- Jet skiing
- Boat Fishing
- Volleyball
- Windsurfing/Sailboarding
- Ice Fishing

9. What additions to Lake Tschida would you support? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- Horse friendly campground with scenic riding opportunities
- Fresh water activities (ex. Splash pad)
- Canoe or kayak rentals
- Paddle boat rentals
- Additional biking / walking trails
- Additional day use picnicking areas
- Softball/baseball/frisbee/tennis/basketball - outside sports areas/courts
- Winter activities (ex. cross-country skiing)

Other:  \_\_\_\_\_

10. If fishing, did you boat, bank/shoreline, pier, or ice fish? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- Boat fish
- Bank/Shoreline fish
- Pier fish
- Ice Fish
- I did not fish

11. If more boat, shore, pier, or ice fishing access would be considered at Lake Tschida, which area(s) would like to see more access? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

	Rimrock Recreation Area	Crappie Creek Recreation Area	Koehlers Point Recreation Area	Schatz Point Recreation Area	Gilligans Cabin	Downstream Recreation Area	Sled Recr A
Boat Fishing Access	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	[
Bank/Shoreline Fishing Access	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	[
Pier Fishing access	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	[
Ice Fishing Access	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	[

## Recreation Management

12. Overall, are you satisfied with the value you received for the fee(s) paid?

*Mark only one oval.*

- Satisfied  
 Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied  
 Dissatisfied

13. During any of your visits to Lake Tschida during the last 12 months, have you seen security staff? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- No, I did not see security staff  
 Yes, I saw security staff  
 Yes, I saw and talked to security staff

14. Have you had any conflicts with other users while recreating here? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- YES
- NO
- Kayakers/ canoers
- Shoreline anglers
- Wildlife viewers
- Partiers
- Picnickers
- Campers
- Boat anglers
- Motorboaters

Other:  \_\_\_\_\_

15. What types of conflicts have you experienced on the reservoir? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- Noise
- Inconsiderate groups or individuals
- Too many boats on the reservoir at any one time
- Crowding
- I did not experience conflict

Other:  \_\_\_\_\_



16. What did you do about each conflict? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- Left the area and went to another area
- Left the area and did not go to another area
- Complained to a manager or security staff
- Did nothing
- I did not experience conflict

Other:  \_\_\_\_\_

Campground

How important was each item listed below when deciding where to camp during the last 12 months?

17. Campground Facilities

*Mark only one oval per row.*

	Important	Neutral	Unimportant
Controlled access to campground (i.e., gatehouse with attendant)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Flush Toilets	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hot Showers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dumping Stations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Beach	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Boat Ramp	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Playground	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Group Shelter	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Fish Cleaning Station	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Accessible to persons with disabilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Courtesy dock	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

18. Campground Services

*Mark only one oval per row.*

	Important	Neutral	Unimportant
Self-guided interpretive programs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Naturalist-led hikes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Amphitheater programs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Firewood for sale in campground	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Campsite reservation system	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ice for sale in campground	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Security patrols	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

19. Campsite Amenities:

Mark only one oval per row.

	Important	Neutral	Unimportant
Waterfront campsites	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Well-spaced campsites	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Large, individual campsites	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Shady campsites	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Campsite privacy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Level site for tent or RV	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Scenic water views from campsite	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Tent pads at campsite	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sewer hookups at campsite	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Electrical hookups at campsite	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Potable water hookups for RV / trailer	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Potable water at campsite	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
TV / cable hookups at campsite	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
WiFi	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Low or no campsite fee	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## 20. Campground Location

*Mark only one oval per row.*

	Important	Neutral	Unimportant
Near my home	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Near friends or relatives home	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Near places I want to visit	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Located on my travel route	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Away from populated area	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Near good fishing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Close to lake	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## 21. Customer Service

*Mark only one oval per row.*

	Important	Neutral	Unimportant
Friendliness of staff	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Staff response to problems	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Knowledgeable staff	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cleanliness of facilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Registration procedures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

22. How many camping trips did you take during the last 12 months?

*Mark only one oval.*

- 0 trips
- 1 trip
- 2 trips
- 3 - 5 trips
- 6 - 10 trips
- More than 10 trips

23. How many total nights did you spend camping during the last 12 months?

*Mark only one oval.*

- 0 nights
- 1 - 2 nights
- 3 - 7 nights
- 8 - 15 nights
- 16 - 30 nights
- More than 30 nights

24. What type of camping shelter did you and your camping party use during the last 12 months?

*Check all that apply.*

- Tent
- RV/Motorhome
- Pop-up trailer
- Van
- Truck Camper (slide-in)
- Travel Trailer
- Camper Cabin
- I did not camp during the last 12 months

Other:  \_\_\_\_\_

25. What kinds of camping facilities or amenities would you be most interested in if Lake Tschida were to add facilities or amenities? Please check all that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- Primitive overnight camping
- Electrical overnight camping
- Full service campsites to include water, electrical, sewer hookups for overnight camping
- Full Service 2-3 bedroom cabins for overnight camping
- Small cabins with power, heat and air only for overnight camping
- Full service campsites to include water, electrical, sewer hookups for seasonal pass May - September
- Electrical camping seasonal pass May - September
- Primitive seasonal pass May - September
- Winter camping

Other:  \_\_\_\_\_

**Visitor  
Satisfaction**

How satisfied are you with the recreation facilities and visitor services offered at Lake Tschida? Please indicate your response in the questions below.

26. Recreation Facilities

*Mark only one oval per row.*

	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied
Restrooms and comfort stations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Walkways, trails, and roads	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Visitor Center	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Campgrounds (including tent and/ or RV sites)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Day Use (e.g., picnic and fishing areas, wildlife viewing, outfitters and guides, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Boating facilities (e.g., launch ramps, courtesy docks, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

27. Is there anything else you would like to tell us about the recreation facilities?

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28. Visitor Services

*Mark only one oval per row.*

	Satisfied	Neutral	Dissatisfied
Assistance from employees	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Park maps and brochures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Security	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Value for fees paid	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Commercial services (e.g., restaurants, lodging, stores, rentals, merchandise, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

29. Is there anything else you would like to tell us about the visitor services?

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30. To receive notifications on the development of the Heart Butte Resource Management Plan, please provide your email address.

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