Reduced access at Porcupine Bay boat launch facility

As the Bureau of Reclamation resumes the Cayuse Cove Slope Stabilization project, the National Park Service will reduce access to a portion of the Lake Roosevelt National Recreation Area Porcupine Bay boat launch area for public safety reasons. This reduction will take place from Sept. 7, 2021, through May 27, 2022.

A portion of the parking lot at the boat launch will be restricted, while crews stabilize the shoreline on the Spokane River arm of Lake Roosevelt. The paved and gravel over-flow parking area will be used to stage and load material onto barges.

During construction, the down-river boat launch lane will be unavailable, while the up-river boat launch lane will remain open to the public. Temporary public restroom facilities are available, while the vault restroom adjacent to the boat launch is closed.

Reduced access will be lifted May 28, 2022, through Sept. 5, 2022. The final phase of the slope stabilization project will resume Sept. 6, 2022. For more information on the project, visit https://www.usbr.gov/pn/programs/ea/wash/cayuse/index.html.