

Public Information Exchange

Belton/Stillhouse Hollow Lakes

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Belton/Stillhouse

- **Missions**

- ▶ Flood Risk Management
- ▶ Natural Resources
- ▶ Water Supply
- ▶ Recreation



Flood Risk Management

- 1.7 Million Acre Feet of Flood Capacity
- 35,435 Acres of Flood Control
- 4,878 Square Miles of Drainage (watershed)
- 14 Major Floods
- 354 Million Flood Damage Savings (estimate)



Natural Resource Management

- 39,071 Areas of government owned land
- 226 Miles of boundary line
- Wildlife management
- Endangered species
- Invasive species
- Cultural and archeological resources
- Over 200 Bass tournaments
(Lake Activity Permits)



Golden-Cheeked Warbler



Whitetail Deer Fawn



Water Supply

- **Belton Lake** (104 MGD dependable yield)
 - ▶ Cities of Belton, Killeen, Copperas Cove, Gatesville, Moody, Bruceville/Eddy
 - ▶ Down Steam – City of Temple
- **Stillhouse Lake** (63.3 MGD dependable yield)
 - ▶ CTWSC – (Belton, Holland, Rosebud, Buckholts, Lott, Westphalia, Rogers, Heidenheimer, and East Bell County.
 - ▶ Kempner Water Supply (Kempner & Lampasas)
 - ▶ BRA pipe line to Georgetown Lake



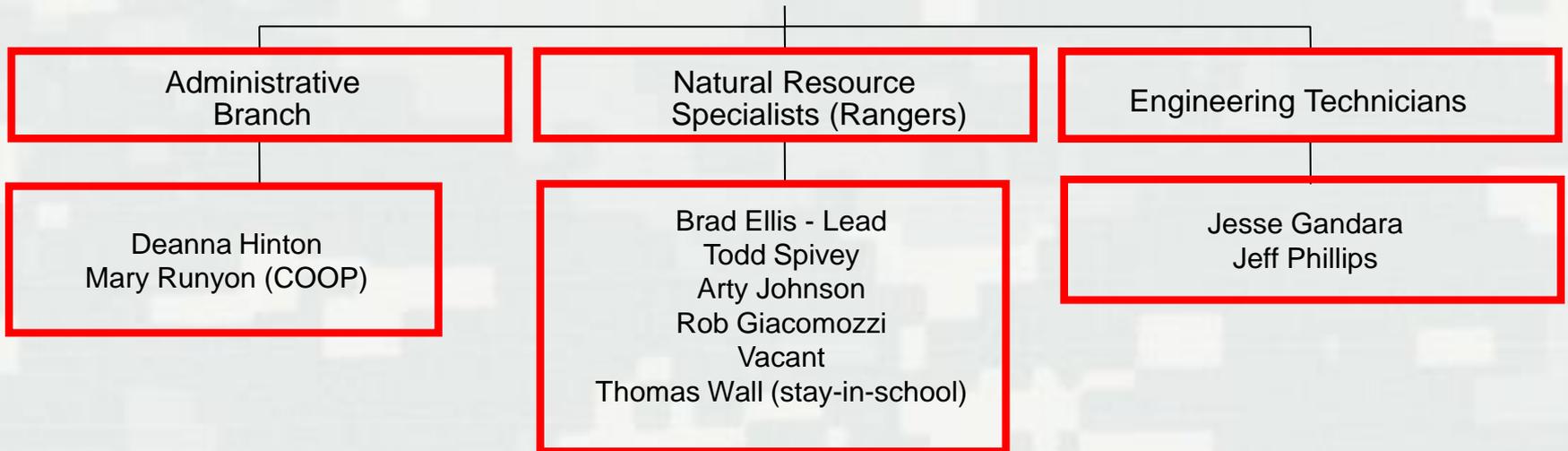
Recreation Numbers

- 2,737 Acres of Developed Recreation
- 194 Miles of shoreline
- 2.3 Million Visits Annually
- \$1.02 Million Fees Collected
- 22 Recreational Areas
- 13 Campgrounds
- 8 Access/Day Use Areas
- 19 Boat Ramps
- 4 Commercial Marinas



Belton and Stillhouse Hollow Lakes

Lake Manager

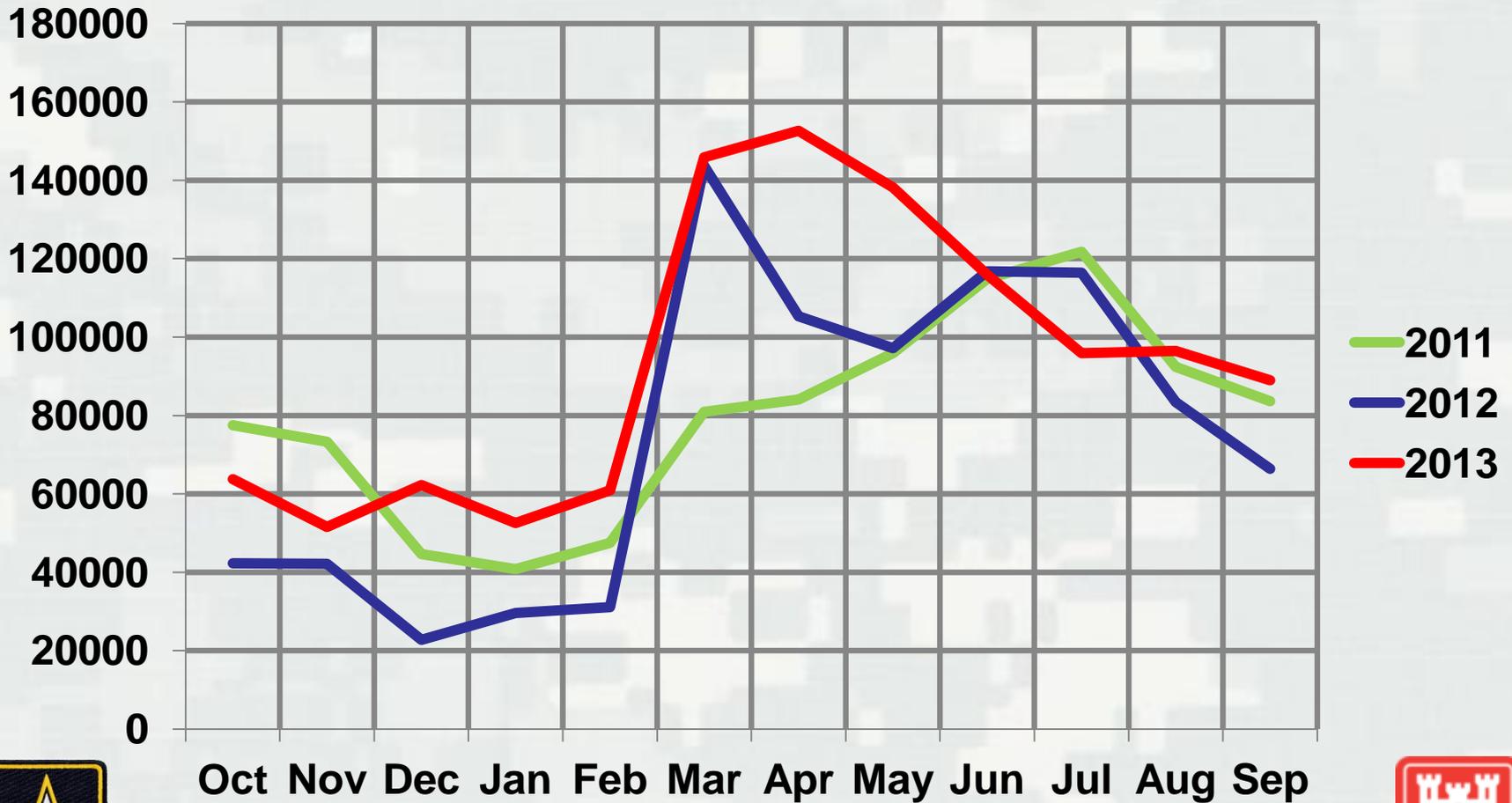


Current Savings/Efficiencies

- **Reduced cleaning frequencies**
- **Reduced refuse containers**
- **Reduced mowing**
- **Reduced GSA (government vehicles)**
- **Reduced Law Enforcement Contract**
- **Recycling PCs for gate attendants**
- **Reduced summer staffing**
- **Utilizing Volunteers**
 - ▶ Mowing
 - ▶ Cleaning
 - ▶ Office support
 - ▶ Park repairs/maintenance
 - ▶ Park compliance & visitor assistance
 - ▶ Water Safety Contacts
- **Utilizing Wounded Warrior Program**
 - ▶ Rangers - visitor assistance
 - ▶ Engineer Tech
 - Park repairs
 - QA inspections

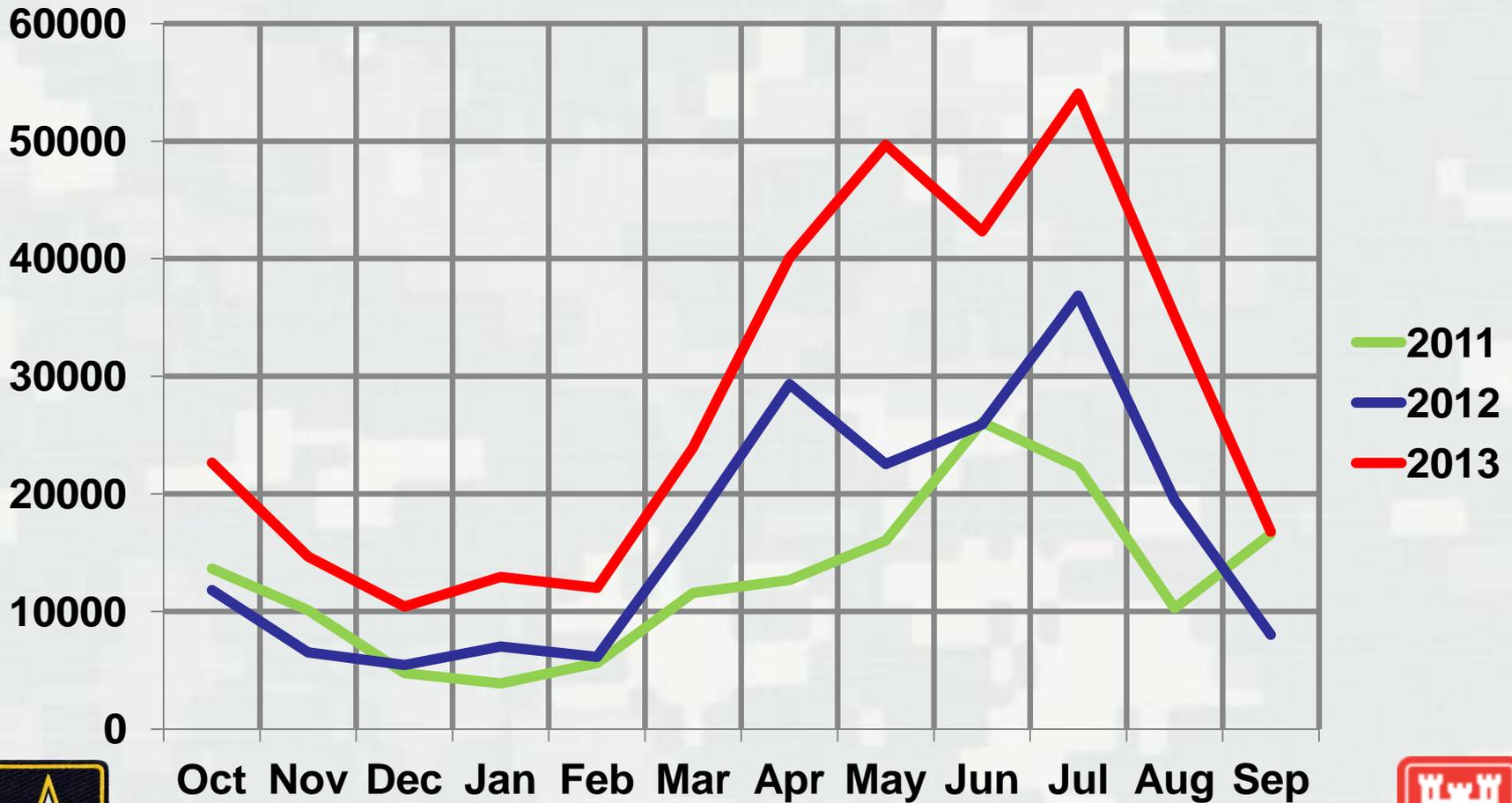


Visitation Belton Lake



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Visitation Stillhouse Hollow Lake



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Proposed Winter Park Plan

■ Belton Lake

▶ Winter Closures (Oct-Feb)

- Camping
 - ▷ White Flint Park
 - ▷ Winkler Park
- Day Use
 - ▷ Sparta Valley Park
 - ▷ Arrowhead Point Park
 - ▷ Owl Creek Park

▶ Partial Winter Closures (Oct-Feb)

- Cedar Ridge Park
- Temple Lake Park
- Westcliff Park
- Belton Park



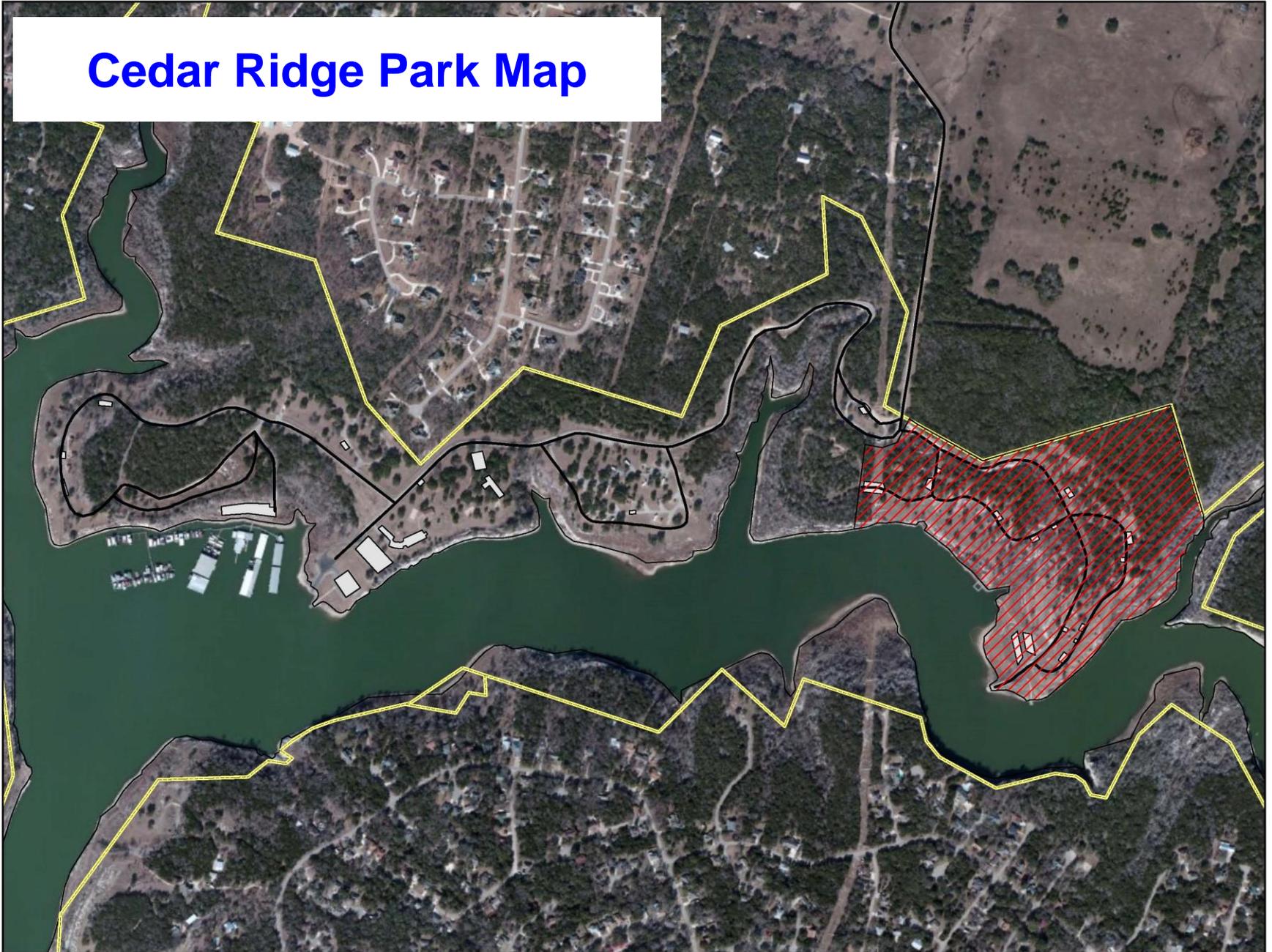
Cedar Ridge Park

Winter (Oct-Feb)

- Boat Ramp (Open)
 - Screen Shelters (Open)
 - Camping sites 41-68 (Open)
 - Sunset & Coveside Pavilion (Open via LAP*)
 - Turkey Roost Group Campsite (Open via LAP*)
 - Camping sites 1-40 (Closed)
- LAP(Lake Activity Permit) – issued at local office



Cedar Ridge Park Map



Temple Lake Park Winter (Oct-Feb)

- North Boat Ramp (Open)
- South Boat Ramp (Closed)
- Swim Beach and Day Use Area (Closed)
- Temple Lake Pavilion (Open via LAP*)

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Persons will be able to walk in and use shoreline but no contractor to clean



Temple Park Map



Westcliff Park

Winter (Oct-Feb)

- Boat Ramp (Open)
- Swim Beach and Day Use Area (Closed)
- Camping (Closed)

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Westcliff Park Map



Belton Park Winter (Oct-Feb)

- Boat Ramp (Open)
- Frank's and Overlook Pavilion (Open via LAP*)
- Day Use Area (Closed)

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Belton Park Map



Proposed Winter Plan

■ Stillhouse Hollow Lake

▶ Partial Closures Only (Oct-Feb)

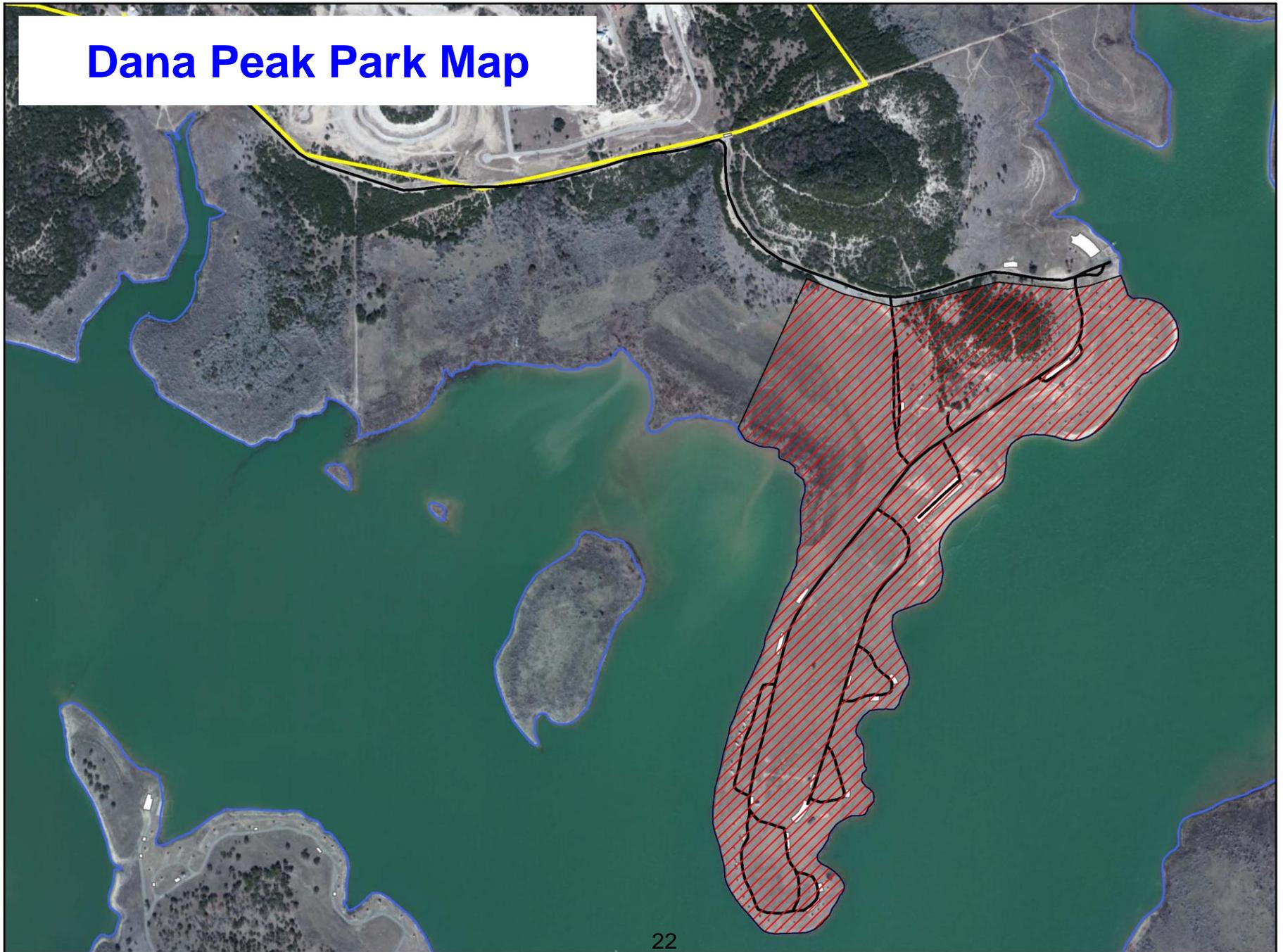
- Dana Peak Park
 - ▷ Boat Ramp (Open)
 - ▷ Biking/Hiking Trails (Open)
 - ▷ Comanche Gap Pavilion (Open via LAP*)
 - ▷ Swim Beach and Day Use Area (Closed)
 - ▷ Camping (closed)

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Dana Peak Park Map



Questions

- Need Your Feedback (via August 30)
 - ▶ Comment sheet (back of room)
 - Complete today
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 - ▶ <http://www.swf-wc.usace.army.mil/belton/>
 - ▶ <http://www.swf-wc.usace.army.mil/stillhouse/>
- Proposed seasonal data sheet (back of room)
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