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## New Lake Buoy Plan at Waco Lake





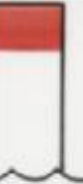






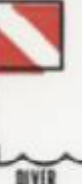


*FORT WORTH, Texas* – The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Waco Lake, has announced the implementation of their new Lake Buoy Plan. This plan was necessitated by the raising of the Waco Lake conservation pool seven feet and the construction of new water related facilities.

Buoys are aids to navigation used on lakes, rivers, coastal, and off-shore waters. The plan establishes and/or re-establishes boating restrictions around the designated swimming areas, dam, spillway, fishing docks, and other areas of public safety and property concerns. This consists of the recovery of old, non-serviceable buoys and the placement of new buoys in appropriate areas. Typical buoys which will be used at Waco Lake are the “Keep Out” buoys used around restricted areas and “No Wake” buoys that are used around boat ramps, small coves, marinas, or other areas which require slow speeds.

To obtain a copy of the Texas Water Safety Act (a summary of Boating Laws) contact the Corps of Engineers at (254)756-5359 or Texas Parks and Wildlife office at (800) 792-1112.

**For Your Safety**

**RECOGNIZE & OBEY ALL BUOYS & MARKERS**

					
CONTROLLED AREA	DANGER	BOATS KEEP OUT	INFORMATION	NAVIGATE TO SOUTH OR WEST	NAVIGATE TO NORTH OR EAST
					
DO NOT PASS BETWEEN SHORE AND BUOY	ANCHOR BUOY	NAVIGATE TO STARBOARD FACING UPSTREAM	MID CHANNEL	NAVIGATE TO PORT FACING UPSTREAM	DIVER BELOW
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