



Maryland
Department of
the Environment

Water Appropriation and Use Permit Renewal Application

GA1992S009/09

Brookfield Power Piney and Deep Creek, LLC

February 28, 2019

McHenry, MD



Welcome - First Stakeholder Meeting





Stakeholders

- Brookfield
- Dept of Natural Resources
- Deep Creek Lake Policy and Review Board
- Garrett County
- Town of Friendsville
- DCL Property Owners Association
- American Whitewater
- Precision Rafting
- Friends of Deep Creek Lake
- MD Trout Unlimited
- Bill's Marine Service
- Garrett County Chamber of Commerce
- Mid Atlantic Trout Unlimited
- Youghiogheny River Chapter of Trout Unlimited
- Youghiogheny River Watershed Association
- Deep Creek Watershed Foundation
- Wester MD Professional Fishing Guides



Stakeholder meetings

- Three meetings to give stakeholders time to provide information regarding the permit conditions.
- We hope all major issues will be thoroughly discussed through this process.
- Use flip chart for issue identification
- Seek consensus as much as possible
- One conversation during the meeting



Permit Application Review Process

- Brookfield notification of contiguous property owners and local officials of requested renewal and increase
- Stakeholder meetings
- Brookfield completes all other application requirements
- MDE will conduct preliminary technical review and advertise the project on local newspaper w/opp to request a hearing
- If a public hearing request is received and the concern can't be addressed, MDE will hold a public informational hearing
- After hearing, MDE will make final decision
- Permit is subject to judicial review

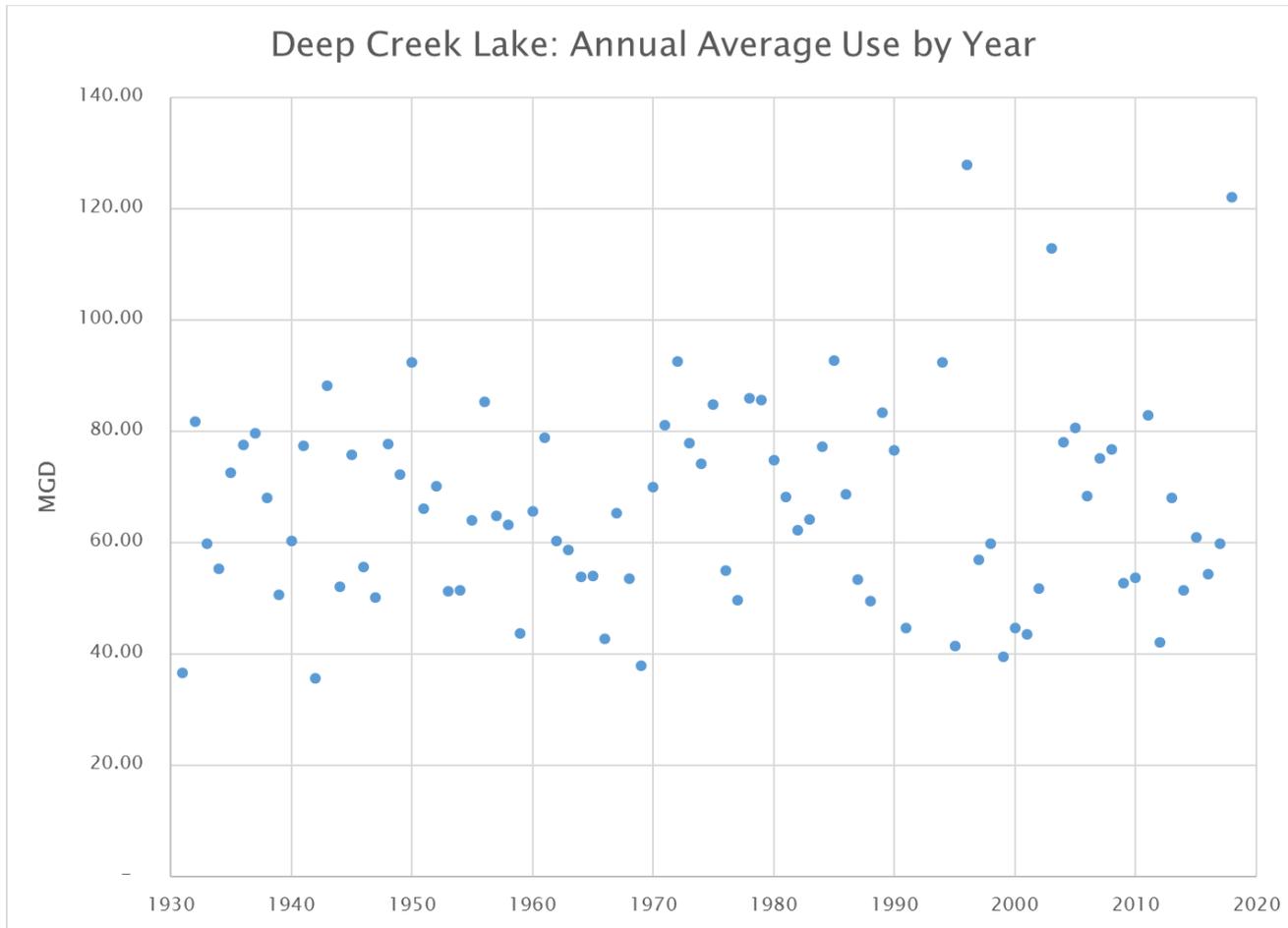


Reasonableness Doctrine

1. The reasonableness of the requested quantity of water.
2. The reasonableness of the impact on the resource.
3. The reasonableness of the impact on other users of the resource.



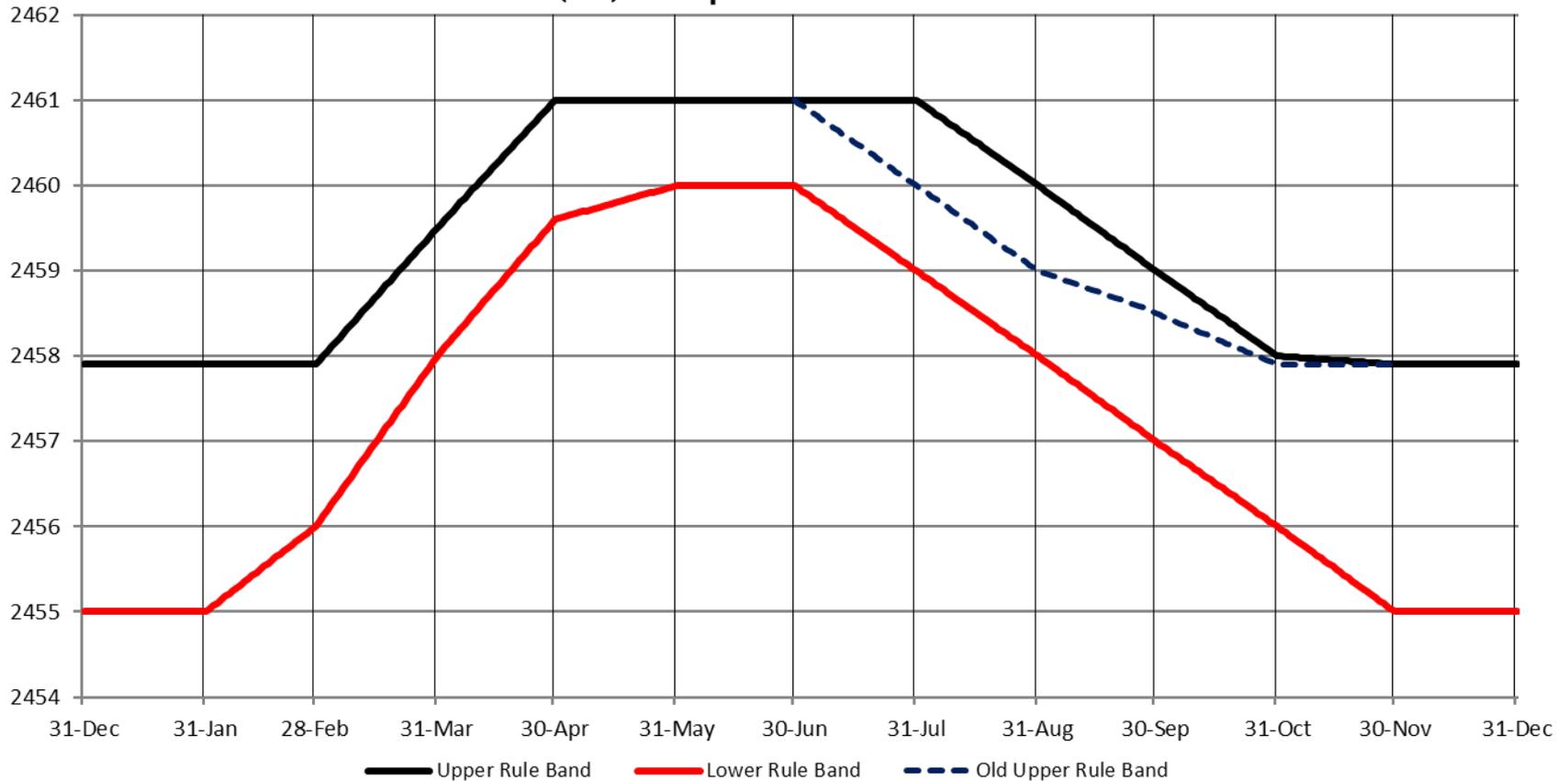
Annual Average Use by Year





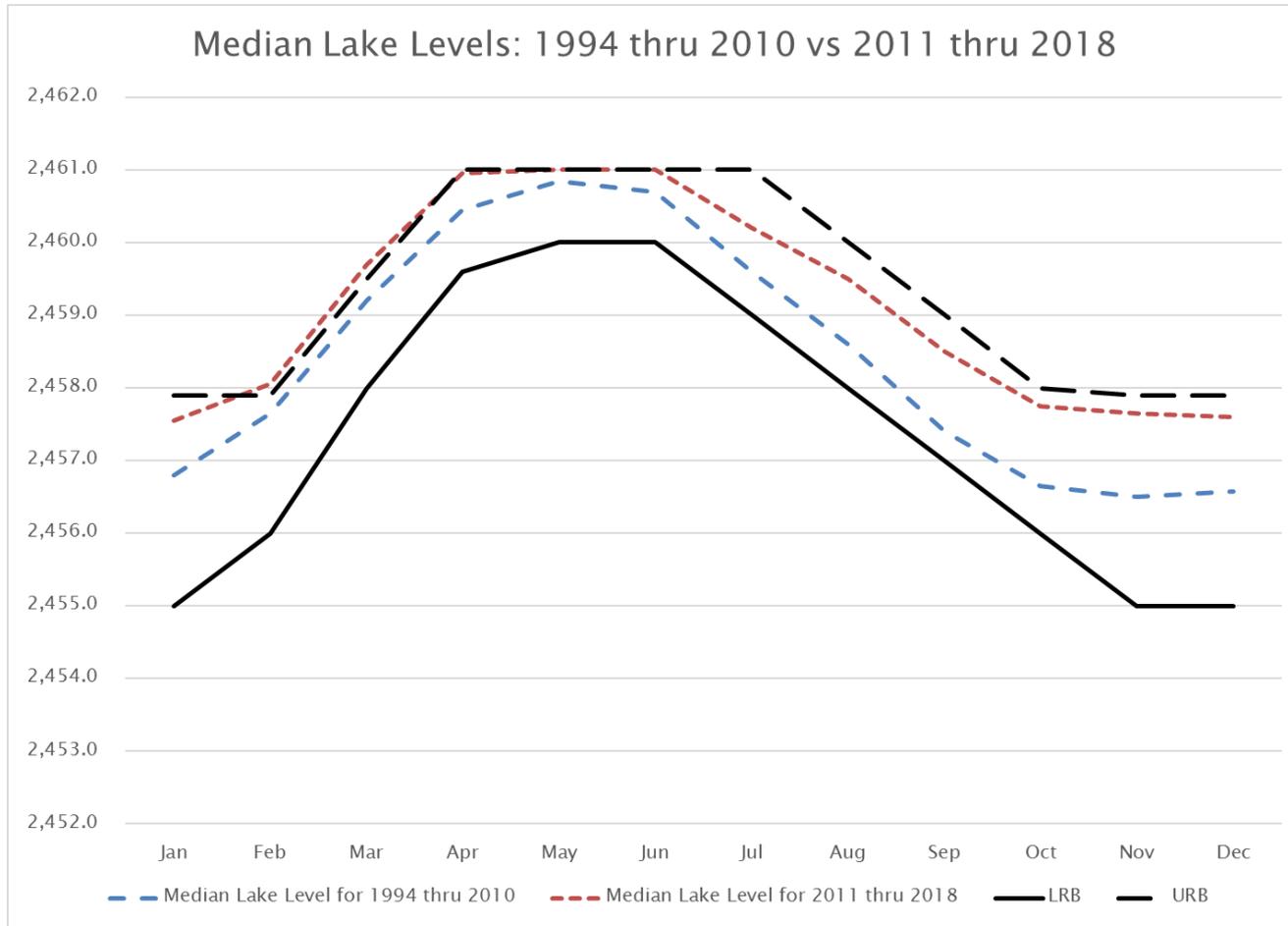
Rule Band: Before and After 2011 Permit

GA1992S009(08): Deep Creek Lake – Rule Band





End of Month Elevation for Pre and Post 2011 Permit





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