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Hello Katie

Thanks for the heads up and I look forward to the up coming meetings. I do have a few changes to the permit that will help make the whitewater boating a lot better.

1 Change the releases days in April from the Fridays to Saturdays , still starting on or after April 15.

2 During the whitewater season when there is extra water in the lake that we can get some extra Saturday releases, ie: when there are long releases all week long and then nothing on Saturday, then if we could take a few hours off the long 12-16 hrs on a Thursday or Friday then we need to get some water on the weekend. just 3 hrs at the least.

3 During the whitewater season on the non whitewater days if there is extra water in the lake and the usgs gauge at Hoyes is below 400 cfs then on the regulation releases, (variable flow), we need at least 2 hrs of both units at 620 cfs.

4 On the temperature enhancement release if they start between 10 am - 3 pm they need to be at least 2 hrs of full release to make them usable for whitewater.

These few changes will have a great impact on the whitewater boating and the commercial rafting industry with very little impact on lake levels. This will also make a big difference in a positive way to the town of Friendsville as it will enhance the boating opportunities and bring more economic growth to the town of Friendsville.

Looking forward to the meeting and thanks in advance for looking into this.

Best regards,

Roger

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