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TVA exists to make our region the best place in the country to live, work, and *play* 

#### Energy Manage the

Manage the river and the lands along it for multiple benefits



### Environment

Protect and enhance cultural and natural resources



Economic Development

Invest in communities to create and sustain the valley as a destination for tourism and outdoor recreation



# **Economic Value of Water-Based Recreation**

- TVA reservoirs remain popular recreation and tourism destinations
  - Sustain outdoor and cultural heritage
  - Provide social fabric for citizens
- Recreation activities have
  substantial economic impacts
  - Industrial output, jobs, labor income, state/local taxes
  - Average Economic Impact per shoreline mile **\$1.1M**

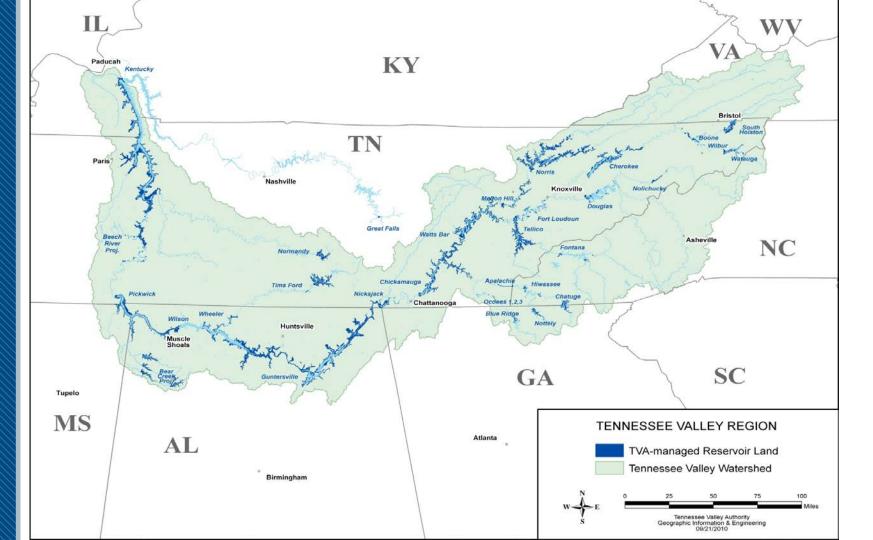


## Natural Resources Focus Areas



#### Manage integrated river system

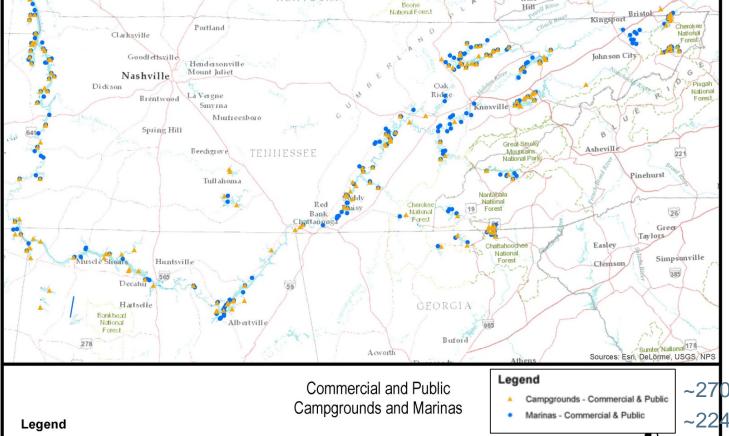






### Management of Commercial and Public

### Recreational Areas, Agreements, and 26a permits





# **Commercial Agreements**

- Communication
- Phased Approach
  - Phase 0 Can TVA? Land rights. Align with policies.
  - Phase 1 Community support?
  - Phase 2 NEPA and Programmatic Reviews
- Public Notice
- Land Permission Agreement and Section 26a Permit



# **Commercial Agreements**

#### **Commercial Recreation**

- Fees for Commercial Operations on TVA Land
- Annual Site Inspections
- Security Assurance
- Length of Stay Guidelines







### **TN Valley Clean Marina and Camp-Right**

**Camp-Right** - voluntary membership program that promotes environmentally friendly practices related to energy efficiency, water conservation and natural resource management efforts in campgrounds on TVA land

**Tennessee Valley Clean Marina** - voluntary program that promotes environmentally responsible marina and boating practices by encouraging operators to implement practices to address oil and gas control, sewage management, marina siting and erosion prevention to reduce water pollution and erosion in the Tennessee River watershed











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