What is MWCD?

The Muskingum Watershed Conservancy District (MWCD) is a political subdivision of the State of Ohio organized in 1933 to develop and implement a plan to reduce the effects of flooding and conserve water for beneficial public uses under Ohio Revised Code Chapter 6101 (commonly called the Conservancy Act).

The MWCD mission statement reads as follows: Responsible stewards dedicated to providing the benefits of flood reduction, conservation and recreation in the Muskingum River Watershed.

The Muskingum Watershed covers more than 8,000 square miles, and includes the area that drains into the Muskingum River and its tributaries, a system of 16 dams and 12 reservoirs provide flood reduction and water conservation benefits for the property owners and residents of the region.

The MWCD is the largest conservancy district in the State of Ohio and has been credited by the federal government with saving an estimated $10.7 billion worth of potential damage from flooding since its original construction in the 1930s.

In partnership with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, (USACE) the MWCD manages the reservoir areas behind the dams for conservation and recreation while USACE operates the dams for flood control. The MWCD also owns and operates a flood control system in its Chippewa Subdistrict in Medina and Wayne counties.

The MWCD political jurisdiction includes all or portions of the following 18 counties: Ashland, Belmont, Carroll, Coshocton, Guernsey, Holmes, Harrison, Knox, Licking, Morgan, Muskingum, Noble, Richland, Stark, Summit, Tuscarawas, Wayne and Washington.

Online Reservations for Camping, Vacation Cabins and Pavilions are available by visiting www.MWCD.org

SEE INSIDE for detailed park information, facilities chart and location map.

Or call MWCD main office at 877-363-8500
Atwood Lake

Atwood Lake, known as one of the state’s top sailing and pleasure boating lakes, is located in Tuscarawas and Carroll counties between New Cumberland and Dellroy. An easy drive from Canton, Akron and Cleveland, Atwood Lake is a close getaway destination.

**LAKE AREA**
- 1,540 acres of water surface
- 2,925 acres of land
- 25 horsepower limit
- Two public boat-launch ramps

**ATWOOD LAKE PARK & CAMPGROUNDS**
- 500+ campsites (full hook-up and electric sites)
- 10 family vacation cabins
- Patio cabins
- Swimming beach with water toys and concession stand
- Camp store with concessions and retail
- Picnic shelters
- Activity Center and Nature Center
- Hiking and biking trails
- Free Wi-Fi internet access at the Activity Center and Welcome Center
- Special events and daily activities
- Laundry facilities
- Accessible fishing pier
- Playgrounds and sport courts
- Kayak launch ramp

**Now Featuring Camp Area H:** A new, state-of-the-art daily/weekly camp area. 142 full hook-up campsites with concrete pads and 50-amp power service. Lake front views, playground, shower and restroom facilities with laundry.

**MARINAS**
- Atwood Marina West is a full-service marina with boat sales and service, rentals, fuel, supplies and dock rentals. The restaurant features a full dining menu, courtesy docking and gift shop.
- Atwood Marina East offers boat rentals, dock rentals, fuel, supplies, restaurant, courtesy docking and gift shop.

Charles Mill Lake

Located near Mansfield, Charles Mill is a quiet place to relax and enjoy nature. The park entrance is located near the junction of SR 430 and SR 603.

**LAKE AREA**
- 1,350 acres of water surface
- 2,000 acres of land
- 10 horsepower limit
- Two public boat-launch ramps
- Accessible kayak launch ramp

**CHARLES MILL LAKE PARK & CAMPGROUNDS**
- 500+ campsites (full hook-up electric and primitive sites) in two campground locations
- Swimming beach
- Patio cabins
- Picnic shelters
- Hiking trails
- Playground
- Swimming pool
- Activity center
- Special events and daily activities
- Accessible kayak launch ramp
- 9-hole disc golf course

**MARINA**
- Charles Mill Marina is a full-service marina with fuel, boat sales and service, boat docking and rentals, fishing supplies, and bait.

Clendening Lake

Known for having the largest undeveloped shoreline in Ohio, Clendening Lake is favored by anglers for its bass fishing and solitude. Located near Freeport, the lake is accessible by SR 800 and SR 799.

**LAKE AREA**
- 1,800 acres of water surface
- 4,800 acres of land
- 10 horsepower limit
- Three public boat-launch ramps
- Kayak launch ramp

**MARINA**
- Clendening Marina offers docking, boat service and rentals, fuel, boating and fishing supplies, concessions, motel and log cabins.

**CAMPING**
- 80 sites (full hook-up, electric & primitive sites)
- Vacation and camper cabins
- Motel
- Playground and picnic areas
Leesville Lake

Leesville Lake is consistently ranked as one of Ohio’s top lakes for “muskie” fishing. Situated in the rolling hills between New Philadelphia and Carrollton, Leesville Lake offers two marinas, campgrounds, and seven youth camps.

**LAKE AREA**
- 1,000 acres of water surface
- 2,600 acres of land
- 10 horsepower limit
- Two public boat-launch ramps
- Accessible kayak launch

**MARINAS**
- South Fork Marina offers docking, boat sales, service and rentals, fuel, boating and fishing supplies, restaurant, and vacation cabins.
- North Fork Marina and Campground offers docking, boat sales, service and rentals, fuel, boating and fishing supplies and concessions.

**CAMPING**
- A campground is located at each marina.
- The campground near South Fork Marina is operated by Atwood Lake Park (call 330-343-6780 for more info)

Piedmont Lake

Nestled in the steep hills and wooded valleys of Southeast Ohio, is the serene and picturesque Piedmont Lake. Anglers from around the State visit this lake for the excellent fishing and quiet waters.

**LAKE AREA**
- 2,270 acres of water surface
- 4,416 acres of land
- 10 horsepower limit
- Two public boat-launch ramps

**MARINA**
- Piedmont Marina offers docking, boat rental, boat service, lunch counter, fuel, fishing and boating supplies.

**CAMPING**
- 80+ campsites (full hook-up & electric sites)
- Vacation cabin
- Reservable “Park Model” cabins
- Kayak launch ramp

Pleasant Hill Lake

Nestled in the heart of Mohican Country, water sport enthusiasts love this unlimited horsepower lake! What makes Pleasant Hill Lake Park truly unique is the equine camp area. Horse enthusiasts can bring their horse and take advantage of the 88 miles of trails connecting Malabar Farm State Park, Pleasant Hill Lake and Mohican State Forest!

**LAKE AREA**
- 850 acres of water surface
- 1,345 acres of land
- Unlimited horsepower
- One public boat-launch

**PLEASANT HILL LAKE PARK & CAMPGROUNDS**
- 440 campsites (full hook-up, electric, primitive and equine primitive sites)
- Swimming beach
- Vacation and camper cabins and rental house
- Picnic shelters, activity center (free Wi-Fi) and playground
- Hiking trails, equine trails and horse camp
- Daily activities and special events
- Accessible fishing pier
- Kayak launch site

**MARINA**
- Pleasant Hill Marina offers boat docking, service and rentals as well as fuel, fishing supplies and bait.

Seneca Lake

An easy drive from Cambridge and Marietta, Seneca Lake is the largest of the MWCD lakes. Enjoy boating and fishing or relax while sailing, waterskiing or sun bathing on the sandy swimming beach.

**LAKE AREA**
- 3,550 acres of water surface
- 4,060 acres of land
- 399 horsepower limit
- Two public boat-launch ramps
- Accessible kayak launch

**MARINA**
- Seneca Marina offers docking, boat sales, service and rentals, fuel, boating and fishing supplies and dine-in restaurant with courtesy docking.

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Seneca Lake continued

**SENECA LAKE PARK & CAMPGROUNDS**
- 500+ campsites (full hook-up and electric)
- Swimming beach with concession stand
- Free Wi-Fi at swimming beach and Marina Point shelter
- Vacation and camper cabins
- Picnic shelters
- Historic log cabin for special events and activities
- Hiking trails and playground
- Special events and daily activities

**Tappan Lake**
Tappan Lake is great for camping, swimming, boating, fishing and hiking. Watersport enthusiasts can speed things up for skiing, tubing or wakeboarding or hikers can slow it down with easy access to Ohio’s Buckeye Trail.

**LAKE AREA**
- 2,350 acres of water surface
- 5,200 acres of land
- 399 horsepower limit
- Two public boat-launch ramps
- Accessible fishing pier

**MARINA**
- Tappan Marina offers docking, boat sales, service and rentals and ski accessories, fuel, boating and fishing supplies and dine-in restaurant.

**TAPPAN LAKE PARK & CAMPGROUNDS**
- 500+ campsites (full hook-up, electric and primitive sites)
- Swimming beach with concession stand
- Vacation and camper cabins
- Activity center and nature center
- Hiking trails
- Daily activities and special events
- Laundry facilities and camp store
- Sport courts
- Stand-up paddle boards and kayak rentals

**Beach City Reservoir**
Beach City Reservoir is located near the junction of US 250 and SR 93 north of Strasburg. Hunting is popular on the District property surrounding this shallow lake area. Canoes and kayaks are best suited for this area. Camping is not permitted.

**RESERVOIR AREA**
- 420 acres of water surface
- 930 acres of land
- 10 horsepower limit

**Wills Creek Reservoir**
Wills Creek is located in Coshocton and Muskingum counties. The area offers hunting and fishing opportunities. Camping is not permitted.

**RESERVOIR AREA**
- 900 acres of water surface
- 4,900 acres of land
- 10 horsepower limit
- One public boat-launch ramp

**Bolivar Dam**
Bolivar Dam is located in Stark and Tuscarawas counties between Bolivar and Zoar, and impounds water only to prevent flooding.
- 835 MWCD-owned acres of public-use land

**Dover Dam**
Dover Dam is located northeast of Dover on the Tuscarawas River, off of SR 800. The dam impounds water only during times of flooding.
- 470 MWCD-owned acres of public-use land

**Mohawk Dam**
Mohawk Dam is located on the Walhonding River near Warsaw in Coshocton County. The dam impounds water only during times of flooding.
- 3,740 MWCD-owned acres of public-use land

**Mohicanville Dam**
Mohicanville Dam is located on the Jerome Fork of the Mohican River in Ashland County. The dam impounds water only during times of flooding.
- 40 MWCD-owned acres of public use land
Hunting & Fishing

FISHING

Public launch ramps are located at each lake.

The Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Wildlife, is responsible for all fish and wildlife management on MWCD lakes and land. State of Ohio hunting and fishing rules, regulations, and license requirements apply.

Fishing is permitted on MWCD lakes. Fishing tournaments and other marine events must be pre-approved by the MWCD and submitted six weeks in advance of a scheduled event. Permits are available online at www.MWCD.org.

Contact the MWCD or a Division of Wildlife office for fishing questions.

HUNTING

Hunting is permitted in designated areas around each reservoir. Individual lake maps identify public-use areas where hunting is permitted. These maps can be found at the MWCD office and individual parks and marinas.

Contact Information

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Atwood Lake Park
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Phone: 330-343-6780 • Fax: 330-343-5454
www.AtwoodLakeOhio.org

Atwood Lake Boats (Marina West)
9298 Atwood Lake Rd, Mineral City, OH 44656
Phone: 330-364-4703 • Fax: 330-364-6358
www.AtwoodLakeBoats.com

Atwood Marina (East)
1601 Magnolia Rd, Dellroy, OH 44620
Phone: 330-735-2323 • www.AtwoodLakeBoats.com

Charles Mill Lake Park
1277A SR 430, Mansfield, OH 44903
Phone: 419-368-6885 • Fax: 419-368-4912
www.CharlesMillLakeOhio.org

Charles Mill Marina
1277B SR 430, Mansfield, OH 44903
Phone: 419-368-5951 • Fax: 419-368-3900
www.CharlesMillMarina.com

Clendening Marina & Campground
79100 Bose Rd., Freeport, OH 43973
Phone: 740-658-3691 • Fax: 740-658-2466
www.ClendeningLakeOhio.org

Leesville North Fork Marina & Campground
2126 Azalea Rd. SW, Carrollton, OH 44615
Phone: 330-627-4270 • Fax: 330-627-2490
www.LeesvilleLake.com

Leesville South Fork Marina
4131 Deer Rd. SW, Bowerston, OH 44695
Phone: 740-269-5371 • Fax: 740-269-1360
www.LeesvilleLake.com

Piedmont Marina & Campground
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www.PiedmontLakeOhio.org

Pleasant Hill Lake Park
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www.PleasantHillLakeOhio.org

Pleasant Hill Marina
3434 SR 95, Perrysville, OH 44864
Phone: 419-938-8208
www.PleasantHillMarina.com

Seneca Lake Park
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www.SenecaLakeOhio.org

Seneca Marina
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www.TappanLakeOhio.org

Tappan Marina
33315 Cadiz-Dennison Rd., Scio, OH 43988
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www.TappanLakeOhio.org
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### OVERNIGHT LODGING

| Camper cabins | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Marina motel | ✓ |
| Patio Cabins | ✓ |
| Vacation cabins | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |

### FISH SPECIES ++

| Bluegill | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Bullheads | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Channel catfish | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Crappie | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Flathead catfish | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Largemouth bass | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Muskellunge | ✓ ✓ |
| Northern pike | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Saugeye | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Smallmouth bass | ✓ ✓ |
| Striped bass | ✓ |
| Walleye | ✓ |
| White bass | ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Yellow perch | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
| Hunting ++ | ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ |
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* Conservation pool is a lake surface elevation which is maintained during the boating season, unless affected by the operation of the dam for flood control, or by drought. Conservation pool is measured in feet above sea level.

** Spillway (the channel near the dam for surplus water) is measured in feet above sea level.

++ Through a lease agreement, hunting, trapping and fishing are regulated by the Ohio Division of Wildlife.