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Comments: To Sweetwater lake development group,

Sweetwater Lake has been a part of our family vacationing since 1981. Its a place where time slows down and you just soak it all in. We've rented cabins, camped in tents, stayed in the motel and drove an RV there, we've fished and hiked deer hunted, horse back riding, explored the Indian caves, lots of family and friends have also fell in love with this magical place.

Tucked away at the end of the road the joy builds as you come up over the little rise and turn in the road and there's the sign" Sweetwater" you park in front of the store/restaurant /local watering hole where everyone is wearing a cowboy hat, yes you've gone back in time. The people are all so kind and helpful. The kids head down to the lake, and my wife and I get a cup of coffee and head for the back patio, its always covered in hanging baskets of flowers and hummingbird feeders, the humming birds are flying all around you you may even get one to land on your finger, as you sip you look over the lake, its breath taking, there's an eagle that used to nest near the cliffs you could watch him glide over the blue water looking for a fish. The quiet, it takes a little getting used to , but as you do every bit of tension you brought with you begins to melt away.

In my opinion don't fix what isn't broken, and don't turn it into some cookie cutter resort, it needs bot docks, in several locations on the lake, campsites are ok just need a few more, put some money into the store/ restaurant, but don't change the rustic and historical charm of the building, new roof, re do the decks, the cabins need some TLC but don't ignore the rustic charm, let Adrian and the locals have the main say in the changes not some city dude that's never even been there.

Thank you for allowing me to comment.