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Comments: I have visited Sweetwater Lake Labor Day weekend several times over recent years. The most people I have seen in the lake area is about 10 people with a few of those being on the lake. The amount of people that this project proposes for the area is shocking! Has anyone considered how devastating this will be to the wildlife? Part of the charm of the Sweetwater Lake area is the quiet and peace one experiences there. With over 200 visitors proposed, there will no longer be quiet or peace for visitors or the wildlife. This are is not a good selection for a state park, particularly with the advertising that goes along with it. I say save the lake and the wildlife experience at Sweetwater and do not develop a state park here. I'm sure there are other montane areas that once had ecological importance and need CPWs money and expertise to restore. Why doesn't CPW find a project like that to create a state park as part of restoration instead of damaging an area that has ecological importance and does not need to be developed.

I believe CPWs resources are being misapplied and the mission of CPW is being lost on this project.

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