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Corps Closure update for Waco Lake

FORT WORTH, Texas – The Corps announces the closure of the Lake Shore Drive entrance to the Waco Dam Hike and Bike Trail starting Monday, March 15, 2010 for 45 days while the City of Waco installs new aeration lines along the dam.

The area to be closed will extend from Lake Shore Drive entrance past the flood outlet gates. The Hike and Bike Trail entrances at Skeet Eason Dr. and Airport Dr. will not be affected by this closure, and the portion of the trail between those entrances will remain open. Bosque Park will also not be affected by this closure.

Park closures due to February flooding will remain in place for Koehne Park until April 1. All other parks now have open boat ramps, except Reynolds Creek Park which remains partially closed for day use.

Please check our website at <http://www.swf-wc.usace.army.mil/waco> prior to recreating on Waco Lake, to check most recent facility and road closures. Lake users are encouraged to always wear life jackets.

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