Lake Murray, FERC Project 516 Land Use and Shoreline Management Plan

Boatlift Restrictions

Only one boatlift will be permitted per individual dock. Boatlifts have become a very popular way for Lake Residents to protect their boats in heavy traffic and high energy areas. When Lake Management Department receives a boatlift request, many times the applicant request two lifts, one on each side of the dock. The Lake Management Department is trying to reduce the overall size of permanent structures located at docks and will only permit one boatlift per individual dock. Shared Docks will be considered for two boatlifts (one each owner). The Shoreline Management booklet will be updated to incorporate this policy.

Slip Dock Requirements

The current Shoreline Management Plan will allow a slip-type dock only when the applicant has a minimum of 200 feet of shoreline. This policy has been in effect since 1994. The Dominion Energy Shoreline Management Booklet will be updated to incorporate the slip dock requirement.