

Parr Hydroelectric Project

The public recreational opportunities in this project are provided under federal license requirements and result from cooperation between many state and federal agencies and the South Carolina Electric & Gas Company.

The 6,800 acre Monticello Reservoir forms the upper impoundment for the operation of the Fairfield Pumped Storage Hydro Station, a 512,000 kilowatt electric generating plant. The Parr Reservoir, actually a part of the Broad River, forms the lower reservoir. During periods of high electric demand, water from the upper reservoir passes through the powerhouse to generate electricity. At night, when the demand is reduced, the generators can be reversed and operated as motors to pump the water back to the upper impoundment from the Parr Reservoir.

The Monticello Reservoir will also provide cooling water for the V.C. Summer Nuclear Station located on its southern shore. Summer Station will enter commercial operation in early 1981 and will generate 900,000 kilowatts of electric power.

The smaller Monticello Recreation Lake is located north of the large body of water and is about 300 acres in size. The park area offers fishing two days a week, swimming and picnic facilities. Regulations for its use are posted and are listed in this folder.

Rules and Regulations

Monticello Recreation Lake

Fishing:

1. Fishing permitted on Wednesday and Saturday only from sunrise to sunset.
2. No minnows allowed.
3. No gasoline powered engines allowed.
4. Limits: 5 Bass/12 inch minimum length
25 Bream
5 Catfish

Park Regulations:

1. Gate open from sunrise to sunset.
2. No lifeguard on duty. Swim at your own risk.
3. No alcoholic beverages.
4. No littering please.

Waterfowl Management Areas

The waterfowl management areas shown on the map are under the jurisdiction of the South Carolina Wildlife and Marine Resources Department. Sportsmen should observe safe hunting practices when using any of these areas.

Regulations pertaining to each—Broad River, Enoree River, Parr Reservoir and Monticello—are different. Hunters must familiarize themselves with these regulations. They are available from:

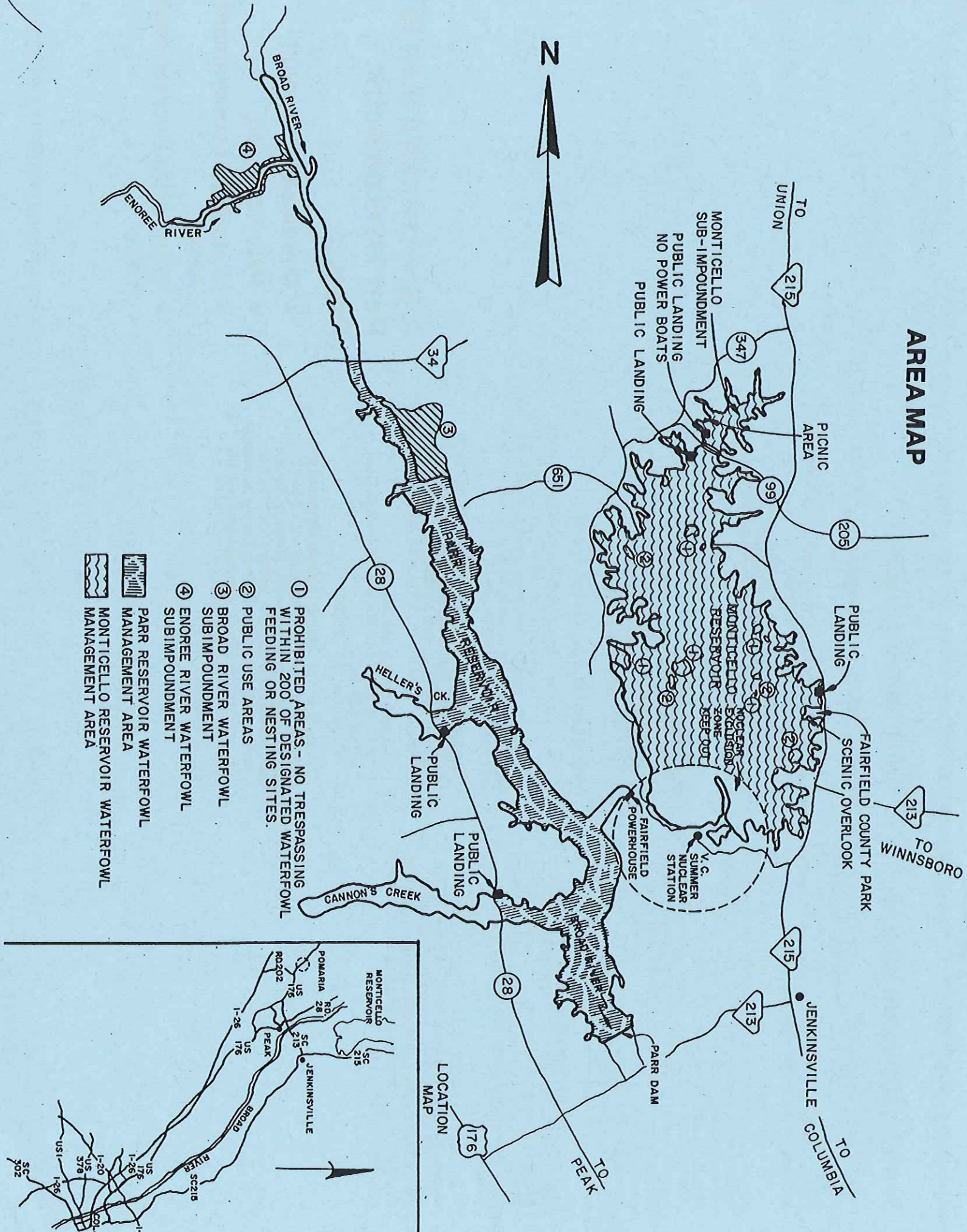
Waterfowl Regulations
S.C. Wildlife and Marine Resources Dept.
P.O. Box 167
Columbia, S.C. 29202



Boaters and sportsmen should be aware of dangerous areas and other warnings posted around Monticello Reservoir. These areas are well marked and for your safety should not be entered. Due to the operation of the hydro station the waters of the Monticello Reservoir and the Parr Reservoir can fluctuate several feet in a matter of several hours.

A Sportsman's Map to Parr Hydroelectric Project

- Monticello Reservoir
- Parr Reservoir
- Waterfowl Management Areas
- Monticello Recreational Lake

AREA MAP



- ① PROHIBITED AREAS - NO TRESPASSING WITHIN 200' OF DESIGNATED WATERFOWL FEEDING OR NESTING SITES.
 - ② PUBLIC USE AREAS
 - ③ BROAD RIVER WATERFOWL SUBIMPOUNDMENT
 - ④ ENOREE RIVER WATERFOWL SUBIMPOUNDMENT
-  PARR RESERVOIR WATERFOWL MANAGEMENT AREA
 MONTICELLO RESERVOIR WATERFOWL MANAGEMENT AREA

LOCATION MAP

