

Appendix D
Use Guidelines

Table D-3
Population Guidelines for Resource-Based Outdoor Recreation Activities¹

Activity	Resource/Facility	Population Served		
		<i>Minimum</i>	<i>Maximum</i>	<i>Median</i>
Bicycling Riding	Linear mile of trail	1,500	10,000	5,000
Camping (RV, trailer and tent)	Acre of camp area	5,600	25,000	6,750
Freshwater and saltwater beach activities	Mile of freshwater or saltwater sandy beach shoreline	25,000	211,200	25,000
Freshwater and Saltwater Fishing (non-boat)	800 feet of pier, catwalk or jetty	5,000	25,000	5,600
Freshwater and Saltwater Fishing, Power boating, Water skiing, Sailing	Boat ramp lane	1,500	12,500	5,000
Hiking	Linear mile of trail	5,000	10,000	6,750
Horseback Riding	Linear mile of trail	5,000	10,000	5,000
Nature Study	Linear mile of trail	6,250	10,000	6,750
Picnicking	Picnic area	5,000	10,000	6,000

¹ Population guidelines were not developed for canoeing and boat fishing, which use extensive water resources.