

**DESCRIPTION:**

Seattle City Light provides this wonderful free campground and boat launch on the Boundary Reservoir. The 17- mile reservoir is ripe for exploring with boat-in- campsites available and views of Pee Wee Falls via motor boat, canoe or kayak. This site is the northern terminus of the Pend Oreille River Water Trail.

The Boundary Dam Project was built in 1967. The dam is constructed similar to an egg shell design curving inside as the top extends nearly 50 feet further downstream than the base. The powerhouse is buried in a limestone cavern with 17 floors housing offices, machinery and the power tunnel. For more information about the dam and tours visit: [www.seattle.gov/light/tours/boundary](http://www.seattle.gov/light/tours/boundary).

**LOCATION**

Managing Agency Seattle City Light

River Right/Left Left

River Mile 17

GPS @ Shore 48.98422 N  
- 117.351163 W

Nearest Town Metaline

**PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT**

Shore Launch No

Boat Ramp (1) solid concrete

Dock Loading float launch

Suitable for paddle craft? Yes!

Obvious location? Signage from  
SCL entrance road

Parking to put-in distance

Overnight Parking

**AMENITIES**

Fishing

Swimming

Potable water

Picnic Tables

Restrooms

Trash Receptacles

Overnight Parking

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

Seattle City Light's Recreation Resource Management Plan calls for improving and expanding this site.

*Designate the Boundary Dam Forebay Campground and Boat Launch as an official water trail site.*

*The water trail will benefit from the implementation of SCL's Recreation Resource Management Plan which will occur in approximately ten years. For current users, as with other sections in the water trail, education around leave-no-trace is crucial to ensuring high quality recreation experiences while limiting impacts on natural and cultural resources.*

**ACCESS**

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In Yes

Walk-In Yes

Fees No

Trailer Parking Yes

Vehicle Parking Spaces 30

Access Comments

Gravel trailer parking

**Camping Yes**

# of Sites 11

Fee No

Reservations available No

RV Access Yes

Fire Rings Yes

**LOCATION**

Managing Agency	PUD
River Right/Left	Left
River Mile	34
GPS @ Shore	48.780775 N - 117.418061 W
Nearest Town	lone

**PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT**

Shore Launch	Loading floating launch
Boat Ramp	Concrete
Dock	Yes
Suitable for paddle craft?	Yes
Obvious location?	Yes, signage
Parking to put-in distance	¼ mile
Overnight parking	Yes for campers

**ACCESS**

Boat-In	Yes
Drive-In	Yes
Walk-In	Yes
Fees	No
Trailer Parking	Yes
Vehicle Parking Spaces	5
Access Comments Launch has moderate grade with adequate traction	

**Camping**

Camping	Yes
# of Sites	8
Fee	No
Reservations available	
RV Access?	
Fire Rings	BBQ pits/grills

**DESCRIPTION:**

Campbell Park, at Box Canyon, provides a beautiful campground, swimming, boat launch, and other outdoor activities for travelers and outdoor enthusiasts.

Box Canyon Dam requires a portage. At present (2011) there are no upstream public access take-out points within two (2) miles of the dam.

**AMENITIES**

Swimming dock at site
Restrooms –vault/CXT
Picnic tables
ADA Accessible
Overnight Parking for campers

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

*Campbell Park is envisioned as a water trail campground and vehicle access site. To help facilitate multi-day trail use, it is recommended that water trail users park overnight at Campbell Park.*

*Designate Campbell Park Campground and Boat Launch as a dispersed recreation and a water trail site which will need further discussion with the land manager to determine their inclusion in the water trail.*

**Site Name:** Edgewater Campground

**River Mile: 37 R**



### LOCATION

Managing Agency USFS (Sullivan Lake District)

River Right/Left Right

River Mile 37

GPS @ Shore 48.752429 N  
- 117.406818 W

Nearest Town Lone

### ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In Yes

Walk-In Yes

Fees Day-use

Trailer Parking

Vehicle Parking Spaces Approx. 11

Access Comments

Overnight Parking

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch

Boat Ramp Yes, concrete

Dock No

Suitable for paddle craft? Yes

Obvious location? No

Parking to put-in distance

### Camping Yes

# of Sites 21

Fee Day use

Reservations available Day-use hours 7-10, May-Sept

RV Access? Yes

Fire Rings Yes, and 20 BBQ grills

### DESCRIPTION:

This is the last access site before Box Canyon Dam. All river users traveling north must exit here!

The campground stretches along a bluff on the east bank of the Pend Oreille River which allows many of the campsites to have a view of the river. This quiet campground is comfortable for tent, car, and recreational vehicle campers. The understory of wild rose, thimble berry, or other shrubs provide good privacy while the overstory of Douglas fir, cedar, hemlock, and other conifers offer good shade. Only a little off the "beaten path", this campground would be good for more than a weekend get-a-way.

Firewood is available for a fee. This is bear country; practice safe food storage techniques.

### AMENITIES

Fishing

Vault toilets

Potable water

Picnic tables (20)

Trails throughout site

Parking aprons are gravel and grass and accommodate any size RV. An RV waste station, with potable water, is available for a fee at Cedar RV Park in Lone, WA

Interpretative displays

### RECOMMENDATIONS

To help facilitate multi-day use, explore opportunities for overnight parking.

**Site Name:** Lone City Park & Swimming Pool

**River Mile:** 38 L



### DESCRIPTION:

This developed city park offers visitors many wonderful amenities to enjoy for the day. It features restrooms, a sandy beach, fishing and a heated pool.

This city park is the last access site before Box Canyon Dam on the left side of the river.

Boaters wishing to continue north can get out here and put-in at Box Canyon Dam/Campbell Park.

### LOCATION

Managing Agency	Ione Parks & Recreation Department
River Right/Left	Left
River Mile	38
GPS @ Shore	48.740361 N - 117.414755 W
Nearest Town	Ione

### ACCESS Yes

Boat-In	
Drive-In	
Walk-In	
Fees	
Trailer Parking	Yes
Vehicle Parking Spaces	2 - 3
Overnight Parking	
Access Comments	

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch	
Boat Ramp	Paved
Dock	
Suitable for paddle craft?	
Obvious location?	No signage
Parking to put-in distance	
Parking near day-use facilities	

**Camping** No

### AMENITIES

Fishing
Restrooms
Sand beach
ADA Accessible
Heated swimming pool

### RECOMMENDATIONS

To help facilitate multi-day use, explore opportunities for overnight parking here. It is also recommended that a place to lock-up boats be developed to encourage people to leave their boats and explore the town.

*Designate Ione City Park as a water trail site*



**Site Name:** Dewitt Road

**River Mile:** 39.5 L



### DESCRIPTION:

This is a small, boat-in only dispersed site convenient to walk-to facilities just outside the town of Lone.

### LOCATION

Managing Agency	POC
River Right/Left	Left
River Mile	39.5
GPS @ Shore	48.71409 N - 117.409252 W
Nearest Town	Lone

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch	No
Boat Ramp	No
Dock	No
Suitable for paddle craft?	Yes
Obvious location?	
Parking to put-in distance	

### ACCESS

Boat-In	Yes
Drive-In	No
Walk-In	No
Fees	
Trailer Parking	No
Vehicle Parking Spaces	None
Access Comments	

**Camping**

**No**

### AMENITIES

None

### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Dewitt Road as a as a boat-in only water trail site. It is envisioned that this site serve as a site for paddlers to stop and walk ¼ mile along a foot-path then the road to a near-by restaurant, the Cabin Grill.*

*This site requires signage from the water side to make it visible to boaters.*

**Site Name:** Edgewater Estates Replat

**River Mile:** 43



### DESCRIPTION:

This site offers shade trees, an inviting grassy area for picnics, a parking area, property boundary markers, and a boat launch.

### LOCATION

Managing Agency	POC
River Right/Left	
River Mile	
GPS @ Shore	
Nearest Town	

### ACCESS

Boat-In	Yes
Drive-In	Yes
Walk-In	
Fees	
Trailer Parking	Yes
Vehicle Parking Spaces	
Access Comments	

### AMENITIES

Boat Ramp
Swimming
Camping

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch	Yes
Boat Ramp	
Dock	
Suitable for paddle craft?	Yes
Obvious location?	
Parking to put-in distance	

**Camping**      **No**

### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Recommendations for this site includes adding signage and restroom facilities (seasonal porta potty to vault toilets), and removing invasive species.*

*Designate Edgewater Estates Replat as a water trail site.*

**Site Name:** Lazy River Farmettes

**River Mile:** 49 R



### DESCRIPTION:

Lazy River Farmettes is a small informal access site on the right side of the river near the northern end of the scenic Box Canyon Reservoir. The site is managed by Pend Oreille County and used for day-use activities including boating, fishing, and swimming. There is a boat ramp with a mowed grassy area adjacent to the site.

### LOCATION

Managing Agency POC

River Right/Left Right

River Mile 49

GPS @ Shore 48.599086 N  
- 117.349805 W

Nearest Town lone

### ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In Yes

Walk-In Yes

Fees No

Trailer Parking Yes

Vehicle Parking Spaces Yes, 4

Access Comments

### AMENITIES

Seasonal porta potty

Small grassy area adjacent to launch site

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch Yes

Boat Ramp Yes, Gravel

Dock No

Suitable for paddle craft? Yes

Obvious location? No

### RECOMMENDATIONS

*It is recommended that invasive species be removed and seasonal-use restrooms be added here.*

*Designate Lazy River Farmettes as a water trail site.*

**Camping No**

**Site Name:** Alaskan Lane N. Brown's  
Coldspring Landing

**River Mile:** 50.5 L



## DESCRIPTION:

Alaska Lane Brown's Coldspring Landing is a lovely, shaded access site on the left side of the river near the scenic Box Canyon Reservoir. The site is managed by Pend Oreille County and used for day-use activities including boating, fishing, and swimming. There is a boat ramp and parking at the site.

## LOCATION

Managing Agency	POC
River Right/Left	Left
River Mile	50.5
GPS @ Shore	48.57264 N 117.351781 W
Nearest Town	Ione/Cusick

## ACCESS

Boat-In	Yes
Drive-In	Yes
Walk-In	
Fees	No
Trailer Parking	Yes
Vehicle Parking Spaces	
Access Comments	

## PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch	Yes
Boat Ramp	Yes
Dock	No
Suitable for paddle craft?	Yes
Obvious location?	
Parking to put-in distance	

<b>Camping</b>	<b>No</b>
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## AMENITIES

None

## RECOMMENDATIONS

*Recommendations include removing invasive species and planting native vegetation, stabilizing the bank through bioengineering methods, signage, and constructing restroom facilities (seasonal porta potty to vault toilets).*

*Designate Alaskan Lane N. Brown's Coldspring Landing as a water trail site.*



**Site Name:** Blueslide Resort

**River Mile:** 52 L



### LOCATION

Managing Agency	Private Owner
River Right/Left	Left
River Mile	52
GPS @ Shore	48.556843 N -117.34658 W
Nearest Town	Ione

### ACCESS

Boat-In	Yes
Drive-In	Yes
Walk-In	
Fees	Yes
Trailer Parking	Yes
Vehicle Parking Spaces	16
Access Comments	

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch	Yes
Boat Ramp	Yes, concrete
Dock	Yes, concrete
Suitable for paddle craft?	Yes
Obvious location?	Yes
Parking to put-in distance	

### Camping

# of Sites	
Fee Day fee/Launch fee	
Reservations available	Required
RV Access? 46 sites	
Fire Rings	

### DESCRIPTION:

Located on the west shore of the Pend Oreille River between Albeni Falls Dam and Box Canyon Dam, a 55-mile stretch of scenic river paradise, **Blueslide Resort** has something to offer everyone from boating, water skiing, hiking, birding, swimming, fishing, hunting, snowmobiling, snow skiing, sight-seeing, biking, ORV, tubing, jet skiing, volleyball, horseshoe pits, and weekly events during the summer season.

For more information about this private resort, please see <http://www.blueslidesort.com/>.

### AMENITIES

Showers
Restrooms
RV Hook-up's
Cabin rentals
Meeting Hall
Telephone
Picnic area
ADA accessible
Fuel available at dock
Swimming pool
Playground equipment

### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Explore the potential for overnight parking for water trail users at the private campground Blueslide (RM 57).*

**Site Name:** Ruby Ferry

**River Mile:** 55.5 L



### DESCRIPTION:

This shoreline dispersed site is located in a forested area and has aquatic and bird wildlife. WDFW signage indicates it is a Wildlife Access Area.

### LOCATION

Managing Agency	WDFW
River Right/Left	Left
River Mile	55.5
GPS @ Shore	48.521062 N - 117.294415 W
Nearest Town	Cusick

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch	
Boat Ramp	Yes, concrete, plank
Dock	
Suitable for paddle craft?	
Obvious location?	
Parking to put-in distance	

### ACCESS

Boat-In	Yes
Drive-In	Yes
Walk-In	
Fees	
Trailer Parking	Yes
Vehicle Parking Spaces	6 +/-
Overnight Parking	
Access Comments	Moderate to steep grade. Left side with abrupt edge and is undermined

**Camping** No

### AMENITIES

Vault toilets

### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Ruby Ferry West as a water trail site.*

**Site Name:** Old Ruby Ferry East

**River Mile:** 55.5 R

**DESCRIPTION:**

Shoreline dispersed boat-in site.

**LOCATION**

Managing Agency USFS

River Right/Left 55.5

River Mile Right

GPS @ Shore 48.522662 N  
- 117.29136 W

Nearest Town Cusick

**ACCESS**

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In No

Walk-In Yes

Fees No

Trailer Parking Gravel site

Vehicle Parking Spaces approx. 3

Access Comments

Natural rock/sand. Gravel trailer parking

**AMENITIES**

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

**PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT**

Shore Launch No

Boat Ramp No

Dock No

Suitable for paddle craft? Yes

Obvious location? WDFW public fishing  
sign off of Hwy. 20

Parking to put-in distance: Less than 100  
ft.

Natural rock/sand. Gravel trailer parking

**Camping** No

**DESCRIPTION:**

This campground is one of the Forest's better kept secrets. The campground stretches along the east bank of the Pend Oreille River so most campsites have a view of the water. A variety of conifers, including Red and Grand firs and Jeffrey pine, provide ample shade. A thick middle story offers good privacy. Although on a paved road, this scenic campground enjoys its "off-the well-traveled-route" status by offering campers a quiet environment. The adjoining wetlands offer good bird watching opportunities. A large grassy day-use and picnic area offers boaters a place to stop-in and relax for the day.

Firewood available for a fee. This is bear country; practice safe food storage techniques.

**LOCATION**

Managing Agency	USFS
River Right/Left	Right
River Mile	57
GPS @ Shore	48.508513 N - 117.269509 W
Nearest Town	lone

**PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT**

Shore Launch	
Boat Ramp	Yes, concrete
Dock	
Suitable for paddle craft?	No
Obvious location?	Yes
Parking to put-in distance	

**ACCESS**

Boat-In	Yes
Drive-In	Yes
Walk-In	
Fees	Yes
Trailer Parking	
Vehicle Parking Spaces	15 +/-
Access Comments	Degraded shoreline, water quality

**Camping**

Camping	Yes
# of Sites	12
Fee	Day-use fee
Reservations available	Yes May-Sept
RV Access?	Yes
Fire Rings	Yes

**AMENITIES**

Vault Toilets
BBQ - 12
Water
ADA accessible
Picnic tables - 12
Hiking trails throughout
Campsites/RV – 12 Total
The parking aprons are grass and gravel. An RV waste station, with potable water, is available for a fee at Cedar RV Park in Lone, WA

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

*Explore the potential for overnight parking for water trail users at Panhandle Campground (USFS) (RM 57).*

*Designate Panhandle Campground as a water trail site.*

**Site Name:** River Bend Estates

**River Mile:** 62 R

## DESCRIPTION:

This is a boat-in only site.

This lovely area is inaccessible to motorized craft.

## LOCATION

Managing Agency POC

River Right/Left Right

River Mile 62

GPS @ Shore

Nearest Town Cusick

## ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In No

Walk-In No

Fees No

Trailer Parking No

Vehicle Parking Spaces

Access Comments

## AMENITIES

None

Watchable wildlife

## PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch

Boat Ramp No

Dock No

Suitable for paddle craft?

Obvious location? No

**Camping** No

## RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate River Bend Estates as boat-in only with water only access. It is recommended that this access be a site on the Water Trail.*

*This boat-in only site is envisioned as a place to rest and enjoy a picnic. This site is only appropriate for paddle craft*



**Site Name:** Cusick Town Boat Launch

**River Mile:** 70 L



## DESCRIPTION:

This wonderful park situated in the Town of Cusick offers a wide variety of amenities including boating, fishing, swimming, an interpretive trail through the wetlands, an excellent bird watching area, picnic areas, a world class skate park, and sport fields.

Food, fuel is within short drive.

Kalispel Tribe of Indian lands across and visible from boat launch.

## LOCATION

Managing Agency	Town of Cusick
River Right/Left	Left
River Mile	70 L
GPS @ Shore	48.337649 N -117.29391 W
Nearest Town	Cusick

## PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch	Yes
Boat Ramp	Floating
Dock	Yes
Suitable for paddle craft?	Yes
Obvious location?	No
Parking to put-in distance	
Overnight Parking	No

## ACCESS

Boat-In	Yes
Drive-In	Yes
Walk-In	Yes
Fees	Donation
Trailer Parking	Yes
Vehicle Parking Spaces	16 +/-
Access Comments	Swift water at water access

**Camping** No

## AMENITIES

Restrooms
ADA accessible
Picnic area with covered picnic shelter
Interpretive walking path through the wetlands
World class skate park
Sport fields

## RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Cusick Town Park and Boat Launch as water trail site.*

*It is recommended that opportunities for overnight camping be pursued at this location.*

**Site Name:** Keo's Korner

**River Mile:** 71.5 L



### DESCRIPTION:

The area near Keo's Korner boat launch offers great bird watching opportunities. Keo's Korner store has food, sundries, and fuel. This private business site is located beside the Usk Bridge.

The PUD manages the boating area. A short walk from the boating area leads to the Usk Post Office. The site is located across the river from Kalispel Tribe of Indians Reservation and Camas Wellness Center.

For more information or to make reservations, call 509-445-1294.

### LOCATION

Managing Agency PUD

River Right/Left Left

River Mile 71.5 L

GPS @ Shore 48.315333 N -  
117.278904 W

Nearest Town Usk

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch

Boat Ramp Yes, cement slab

Dock Yes

Suitable for paddle craft? Yes

Obvious location? No

Parking to put-in distance

Overnight Parking No

### AMENITIES

Vault toilets

### ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In Yes

Walk-In Yes

Fees Yes

Trailer Parking Yes

Vehicle Parking Spaces 10 +/- vehicles

Access Comments

### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Keo's Corner Store Boat Launch as Water Trail site.*

**Camping No**

**Site Name:** Davis Road #1

**River Mile:** 74 L



### DESCRIPTION:

This rustic shoreline site is located upstream of Davis Creek on the left side of the Box Canyon Reservoir.

This is a Pend Oreille County public river access site with a boat launch and parking.

It is a good place for viewing birds and wildlife

### LOCATION

Managing Agency POC

River Right/Left Left

River Mile 74

GPS @ Shore 48.280523 N  
-117.256608 W

Nearest Town Cusick

### ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In Yes

Walk-In Yes

Fees No

Trailer Parking

Vehicle Parking Spaces 3 – 4 vehicle

Access Comments

### AMENITIES

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch Yes

Boat Ramp Yes, gravel

Dock No

Suitable for paddle craft? Yes

Obvious location? Signage

Parking to put-in distance

Overnight Parking No

**Camping No**

### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Davis Road -1 Boat Launch as a water trail site.*

*Recommendations for this site includes adding signage and restroom facilities (seasonal porta potty to vault toilets), and removing invasive species.*

**Site Name:** Pondoray Shores Road

**River Mile:** 76.5 R



### DESCRIPTION:

This informal shoreline site provides access to Box Canyon from the east side of the river. It is located directly across the River from the hamlet of Dalkena.

This is a good area for bird watching and fishing.

It is a boat-in only site for day-only use. Boaters will want to follow the pack-it-in and pack-it-out approach at this site.

### LOCATION

Managing Agency	POC
River Right/Left	Right
River Mile	76.5
GPS @	48.249906 N
	- 117.231001 W
Nearest Town	Cusick

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch	
Boat Ramp	Yes (1)
Dock	
Suitable for paddle craft?	
Obvious location?	Signage
Parking to put-in distance	
Overnight Parking	

### ACCESS

Boat-In	Yes
Drive-In	Yes
Walk-In	Yes
Fees	No
Trailer Parking	Yes
Vehicle Parking Spaces	3
Access Comments	
Road parking on shoulder	
Narrow riverbank	

**Camping** No

### AMENITIES


### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Pondoray Shores Road as a boat-in only water access site and as a water trail site.*

**Site Name:** Gregg's Addition Boat Launch

**River Mile: 79 R**



#### LOCATION

Managing Agency Pend Oreille  
County/Parking Area Mgmt.: PUD

River Right/Left Right

River Mile 79 R

GPS @ Shore 48.236415 N  
-117.193719 W

Nearest Town Newport/Cusick

#### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch Yes

Boat Ramp Yes, concrete

Dock Yes

Suitable for paddle craft? Yes

Obvious location? No

Parking to put-in distance 200yds.

#### ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In Yes

Walk-In Yes

Fees No

Trailer Parking Yes

Vehicle Parking Spaces 12

Access Comments

Parking is across Gregg's Road from  
the dock/launch.

**Camping**

**No**

#### DESCRIPTION

This shoreline access site is situated in a lovely residential location. There is a large parking area across the road and a temporary off-loading parking area on-site. The site itself is not visible from the road. It is for day-use only.

This site was recently improved with a new parking lot and restrooms. The Pend Oreille County and Washington State University Extension Program are making plans to further improve this site through native plant restoration, invasive plant removal.

#### AMENITIES

Restroom

Picnic

Parking

ADA Accessible

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Gregg's Addition Boat Launch as a water trail site.*



**Site Name:** Char Springs (formerly Indian Creek)

**River Mile:** 81.5 R



#### LOCATION

Managing Agency POC

River Right/Left Right

River Mile 81

GPS @ Shore 48.241783 N  
- 117.143956 W

Nearest Town Newport

#### ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In No

Walk-In Yes

Fees No

Trailer Parking No

Vehicle Parking Spaces

Access Comments

Very shallow water near shoreline

#### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch Yes

Boat Ramp

Dock

Suitable for paddle craft?

Obvious location?

Parking to put-in distance

**Camping No**

#### DESCRIPTION:

This boat-in only site is the inlet to Indian Creek.

There is narrow shoreline between road & river with extremely shallow water at shoreline. The area is heavily forested with pine and has a steep bank up from the shallow shoreline.

This lovely area is inaccessible to motorized craft.

#### AMENITIES

None

Watchable wildlife

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Char Springs boat-in only with water only access. It is recommended that this access be a site on the Water Trail.*

*This boat-in only site is envisioned as a place to rest and enjoy a picnic. This site is only appropriate for paddle craft as it is too shallow for motorized boats. The site was formerly a Native American encampment and Indian Creek Slough runs through it. The history and natural wonders of this site could be interpreted and told to water trail users, deepening their sense of place possibly through the use of brochures or websites to preserve the primitive nature of the area.*

**Site Name:** Sandy Shores

**River Mile:** 83 R



### DESCRIPTION:

This lovely area is covered with low-growing vegetation. It provides a good bird watching location.

There is road access to an unimproved, gravel a boat launch and with extremely limited parking.

### LOCATION

Managing Agency POC

River Right/Left Right

River Mile 83

GPS @ Shore 48.234291 N  
- 117.12021 W

Nearest Town Newport

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch Yes

Boat Ramp Yes , gravel

Dock No

Suitable for paddle craft? Yes

Obvious location? No

Parking to put-in distance

### ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In Yes

Walk-In Yes

Fees No

Trailer Parking Yes

Vehicle Parking Spaces 5 (?)

Access Comments

Unimproved, gravel to water

### AMENITIES

None

### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Sandy Shores Boat Launch as water trail site.*

*Recommendations for these sites include adding signage and restroom facilities (seasonal porta potty to vault toilets), improve the parking area , and removing invasive species.*

**Camping** No

**Site Name:** Pioneer Park/Campground

**River Mile:** 86



#### LOCATION

Managing Agency USFS

River Right/Left Right

River Mile 86

GPS @ Shore 48.211997 N  
-117.054571 W

Nearest Town Newport

#### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch Yes

Boat Ramp Yes, paved and gravel

Dock yes

Suitable for paddle craft?

Obvious location?

Parking to put-in distance

#### ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In Yes

Walk-In

Fees Yes

Trailer Parking 10

Vehicle Parking Spaces 16

Access Comments

#### Camping yes

# of Sites 17 Call 1-877-444-6777 or e-mail at [www.reserveusa.com](http://www.reserveusa.com) to reserve a campsite.

Fee \$16

Reservations available Yes

RV Access? Yes

Fire Rings Yes

#### DESCRIPTION

Pioneer Park Campground is located on the southern end of the Pend Oreille River in the USFS District 3 and can be accessed by County Road 9305. The campground offers dramatic views of the Pend Oreille River and an unique heritage trail that presents the history of the Kalispel Tribe. A nice interpretive center is also located inside the campground near the river.

This campground is equipped with tent/trailer sites, a big picnic shelter area, restrooms, bear proof garbage cans, and fresh water. Campsites are mostly private and are close to facilities. For more information, see <http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/colville/recreation/camping/campgrounds/pioneer-park.shtml>

#### AMENITIES

Vault toilets

0.3 mile archeological/interpretive heritage trail (Partially ADA accessible)

Picnic tables

Potable Water

Fire pits

ADA parking (One spot)

Bear Proof Trash Receptacles

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Pioneer Park and Campground as a water trail site. Explore opportunities for overnight parking for water trail users at Pioneer Park and Campground (USFS) (RM 86).*

**Site Name:** Kelly Island

**River Mile:** 87.5 M

## DESCRIPTION:

This island is owned by the City of Newport and the use of the island requires approval by the Newport City Council prior to official water trail use or improvements. This island contains old-growth forest and wildlife habitat and it is designated as a wilderness area. It is to remain a primitive island and camping or restrooms should not be allowed here. It is a good location for Leave No Trace information and pack-it-in/pack-it-out system. Potential use could be a day-use picnic stop for water trail users.

## LOCATION

Managing Agency City of Newport

River Right/Left Mid-river

River Mile 87.5

GPS @ Shore

Nearest Town Newport

## ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In No

Walk-In No

Fees

Trailer Parking No

Vehicle Parking Spaces None

Access Comments

## AMENITIES

## RECOMMENDATIONS

*Recommendations include improving and re-opening the existing interpretive trail on the island. Citing of any new or improved trail would require consultation with biologists to ensure compatibility with the wildlife habitat on the island.*

## PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch

Boat Ramp No

Dock No

Suitable for paddle craft?

Obvious location?

**Camping** No

**Site Name:** Rotary Park Newport-Oldtown Boat Launch

**River Mile:** 88 L



### LOCATION

Managing Agency: City of Oldtown, ID

River Right/Left Left

River Mile 88

GPS @ Shore 48.196814N  
-117.048229W

Nearest Town Newport

### ACCESS

Boat-In Yes

Drive-In Yes

Walk-In Yes

Fees None

Trailer Parking Yes

Vehicle Parking Spaces 30

Access Comments

### PUT-IN/TAKE-OUT

Shore Launch

Boat Ramp Yes , concrete

Dock Yes

Suitable for paddle craft? Yes

Obvious location?

Parking to put-in distance 10  
yards

**Camping** No

### DESCRIPTION

Rotary Park is the southern terminus of the Pend Oreille Water Trail, one of the major stops on the Panhandle Historic Passage State Scenic Byway and the International Selkirk Loop All American Road. It is the Western terminal of the Great Pend Oreille Passage National Millennium Trail (walking/hiking).

Rotary Park area includes 9 acres. The boat launch into the Pend Oreille River is free.

During the summer a host is generally available and bathrooms are available at either the visitor center or a portable out house. The visitor center is often manned during summer weekends. Mini Hydroplane races occur on the Fourth of July weekend.

### AMENITIES

Flush toilets in Visitor Center

Interpretative panels

Covered shelter

Picnic tables

Potable shower

Tourist Information

### RECOMMENDATIONS

*Designate Old Town Boat Launch as water trail site. Explore opportunities for overnight parking for water trail users at the Old Town Boat Launch.*