Other Potential National Economic Development Benefits

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Recreation

On the new pool created by Lock and Dam

Value of projected recreational use:

- + Entrance fees, etc.
- What people would actually pay to do a recreation activity elsewhere

EXAMPLES

- + Fishing or boating stimulated by new pool
- + Camping induced by expanded water recreation



Water Supply

Draw from new pool created by Lock and Dam

Resource cost of most likely alternative supply in absence of storage provided by project

EXAMPLE

+ New usable water supply pool provided by lock and dam



Hydropower

From turbines built into Lock and Dam

Energy replacement value – cost of energy from alternative generation that would be used to replace lost hydropower generation from outages

EXAMPLE

+ Cost of some other likely generation means to replace hydropower generated by turbines at lock and dam



