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## Glen Canyon News Release

### Uplake Development Concept Plan Available for Public Comment

Page, AZ – The National Park Service is seeking public input on a plan to guide future development in the “uplake” areas of Glen Canyon National Recreation Area, including Bullfrog, Halls Crossing, and Hite. The plan, known as the Uplake Development Concept Plan (DCP)/Environmental Assessment (EA), will guide development at these areas for approximately a 15 to 20- year period.

The draft Uplake DCP proposes a range of alternatives to provide for future visitor access at varying Lake Powell water levels and to address changes in visitor services, visitation levels, and visitor expectations. The plan also ensures the protection of park resources and values. Alternative B is the National Park Service’s preferred alternative and is the environmentally preferred alternative.

Alternative B would upgrade visitor, concessioner, and National Park Service facilities and expand them where necessary for anticipated future needs. In some cases, facilities would be re- located to improve access for visitors and to consolidate visitor and administrative areas.

The draft DCP and EA can be obtained online at: [parkplanning.nps.gov/glca](http://parkplanning.nps.gov/glca). Printed copies will be available next week for review at regional public libraries in Utah and Arizona, the Bullfrog Visitor Center, park headquarters in Page, and at tribal government offices in Arizona, Utah, and New Mexico.

The public is invited to participate in this process by submitting comments on the plan. Public comments must be received by August 18, 2006. Comments may be submitted electronically by visiting [parkplanning.nps.gov/glca](http://parkplanning.nps.gov/glca) or by mail to: Draft Uplake DCP/EA, Glen Canyon National Recreation Area, P.O. Box 1507, Page, Arizona 86040.

It is the practice of the NPS to make all comments, including names and addresses of respondents who provide that information, available for public review following the conclusion of the environmental assessment process.

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