

We are asking **every** HOBO, all family members, their friends, neighbors and everyone who loves Lake Martin to each file their comments with **FERC** before August 13. Every individual who enjoys Lake Martin is a stakeholder in this relicensing.

HOBOS support Alabama Power's request to raise the winter pool level three feet, and extend the summer pool to October 15.

- Raising the winter pool by 3 feet will give more time to use the lake.
- Extending the summer pool until October 15 will extend full use of the lake during the best boating season of the year. As the lake goes down, submerged hazards pop up.
- Higher water levels have a positive economic impact
- APCo studies have proven that downstream flooding is not an issue during the changes in Lake operating schedule.

You can send a letter or file electronically

Click [eComment](#)

or paste this link into your browser.

<http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>

1. Click on the **orange** button at the top that says "*eComment does not require registration, click here to proceed*"
2. Enter your name and personal information and click **Authorize**. An email will be sent to you with instructions on how to complete your filing.
3. Go to your email account and click on the link it provides.
4. Select Project **P-349-173**. This is Lake Martin's project number.
5. Type your comments in the white box.
6. Submit it. You will receive a confirmation email from FERC.

Mail Comments to:

Ms. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street N.E.
Washington, DC 20426

Please take a few minutes and let your voice be heard. Ask other family members, your friends, neighbors, and everyone who loves Lake Martin to each send their comments. *A copy of these instructions is posted at the [HOBO website](#)* **Alabama's Treasured Lake needs your help!**