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Dam should be irregular and planted. One lane should be good for parking or camping. 690202-50 for observation scenic value to the area. All other area by walking <sup>or two</sup> <sup>horses</sup> <sup>1</sup>

Trails There are four classifications of trails, one of which could be incorporated in road systems - Cycle, <sup>horse</sup> and motorcycle trails. The present roads at Perry have not been planned for cycling or even <sup>for</sup> cars carrying boat trailers or camping trailers, because of the long grades of steep inclines & declines. Motorcyclers would have no problem but motorcyclist prefer obstacle type trails with curves, steep drops & inclines, of which a special trail would have to be constructed. This form of activity does not seem to be amenable to the usual values associated with reservoir type recreational areas but in motorcycleing there are all grades of uses and purposes in the use of the motorcycle or scooter. Horseback trails can only successfully be used for horses only and should traverse the various natural and varied features of the area. Hiking trails should be dominant and if not be so encouraged thru education and publicity, first because of its greater value quality and because of the important health value. Hiking trails should be, for the most part, horizontal trails and wherever required to deviate, be so planned to minimize the grade. The best area for trails is the upper 1/4 level of the sidehills where there is a natural benchland of deciduous trees and the best position for viewing the lake and forest associated between the water level and uplands. Because of summer heat, all trails should be under the canopy of trees and connections between forested masses be the shortest route or a route that could be developed with natural extension of trees. If trails are held on a horizontal plane, they can be extended for several hundred miles in the Perry Reservoir area. Trails should not be planned to connect 2 points in the shortest distance but by the longest route possible. Along these trails (single path) should be lateral trails leading to shelters and accommodations for hikers who are packing thru the area. These trails could be interconnected with trail systems in the proposed Clinton Reservoir area, Lone Star Lake, Douglas Co. Lake etc. and other interesting <sup>natural</sup> area not associated with government or state facilities. There are thousands of miles of deciduous forests that could be developed, by approval of private owners, into a maze of interconnecting trail systems. Property owners along the trail could provide shelter facilities, food and entertainment for hiker and of course charge for their services.