

HOUSE ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR  
HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL 45

**47TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2005**

A JOINT MEMORIAL

TO URGE THE NEW MEXICO CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SUPPORT  
RECREATION AT HERON LAKE STATE PARK.

WHEREAS, lake and reservoir storage is a key component of  
effective water management in the state of New Mexico,  
especially during times of drought; and

WHEREAS, the level of water is directly related to fishing  
and boating interests, water quality, species reproductive  
rates, aesthetic and recreational values of parks, lakes and  
reservoirs, quality of life and the economy of surrounding  
areas; and

WHEREAS, maintaining a permanent conservation or  
recreational pool at lakes within state parks would protect the  
natural resources, recreational values, quality-of-life and  
economic benefits of these state parks; and

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