

# Middle Ocmulgee Regional Water Planning Council



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# Park History



- **1825: Chief William McIntosh signs the Second Treaty of Indian Springs**
- **1826: Nation's first State-Owned Recreation Area**
- **1927: Georgia's first State Park**
- **1931: Georgia State Parks system**





# CCC Structures



# Idlewilde House





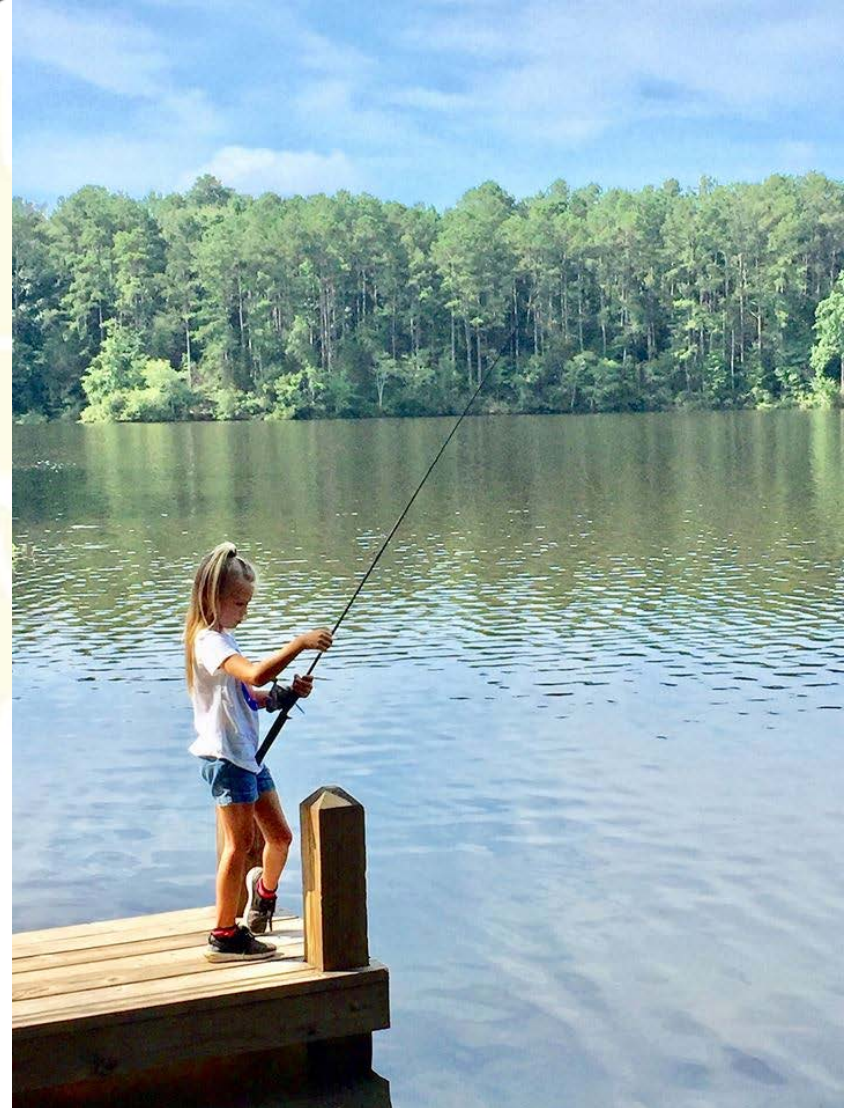
# Spring Water



- Rain and surface water seep through layers of granite and pick up minerals:
  - Carbon dioxide, arsenic, and sodium chloride (aid digestion)
  - Calcium carbonate (helps with kidney stones)
  - Magnesium carbonate (helps with indigestion)
- Flow is approximately 1 gallon per minute



# Recreation





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# Education





# Overnight Accommodations





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# Other Amenities



- **Group Camp**
- **Pioneer Camp**
- **Group Shelter**
- **Picnic Shelters**
- **Geocaching**
- **Pollinator Garden**
- **Outdoor Fitness Equipment**





# Thank you!



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