



City of Boiling Spring Lakes

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Dams Update #14

Sanford Dam – Progress continues to be made on the Sanford Dam project site. Specifically, the contractor continues to pour structural concrete for the foundation of the dam.

Upper Lake Dam – Survey monuments will be installed the week of 09/08/2025. Fencing around the dam works has been completed. Gates on the dam will remain open until the dam is inspected by NC Dam Safety. Once inspected and approved by Dam Safety, Upper Lake will be impounded.

North Lake Dam – Final walkthrough will take place 09/12/2025. Once accepted by the City, it is expected that the portion of East Boiling Spring Rd. over North Lake Dam will be open to the public. This will either occur late afternoon of 09/12 or the morning of 09/15. Again, control gates on North Lake cannot be closed until inspected by NC Dam Safety.

Pine Lake Dam – The revision for the Pine Lake Dam is in the queue of NC Dam Safety. Unfortunately, while the City has asked for this process to be expedited, NC Dam Safety works at their own pace. City leaders have requested our elected officials in Raleigh to put pressure on NC Dam safety to expedite the process. Once the hydrologic analysis has been approved by Dam Safety, the final design can be completed. Once the final design is in place, the City will share with the community as a whole.

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