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<i>Interviewer initials:</i> _____	<i>Location:</i> _____
<i>Code:</i> _____	
<i>Date: Day:</i> M Tu W Th F Sa Su	<i>Time:</i> 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
<i>Gender :</i> 27 Male 6 Female 5 Missing	<i>Age:</i> 34.7 years

1. Where do you live? (city/town, state): **28 Cache Val, 35 UT, 1 WY, 1 ID, and 1 CA**
2. How many people are in your group today? **3.4 (Range of 1 to 9)**
3. How long was your visit to Bear River/Cutler Reservoir? **2.5 hrs. Range of 1 to 12 hrs**
4. Have you visited Bear River/Cutler Reservoir before? **YES 30 NO 4 Missing 4**
- 5a. [IF YES] Before this year, for how many years have you been coming out to Bear River/Cutler Reservoir? **10 Years. Range of 1 to 40 years**
- 5b. [IF MORE THAN 1 YEAR] How many times do you come out in a typical year?
23 times. Range of 1 to 60 times (9 Missing)
6. I'm going to read a list of activities you may have participated in today. Please tell me which of the activities someone in your group did. [CHECK ALL THAT APPLY]

Water skiing, tubing, or knee boarding 10	Canoeing or kayaking 8
Riding on personal watercraft 1	Trolling 0
Swimming from a watercraft 1	Still fishing from a boat 1 Catfish
Sailing 0	Cruising or just driving the boat for fun 3
Hunting 6 Ducks and Cranes	Birding 3

Other activities: **16 (restroom break, biking, fishing from shore, photography, test boat)**
7. Which of these was your primary activity? **9 skiing/boarding, 1 PWC, 5 Hunting, 7 canoe/kayaking, 1 Still Fishing, 2 Cruising, 2 Birding and 8 Other, 3 Missing**
8. What was the main reason you decided to come out to Bear River/Cutler Reservoir today (rather than visit another site where you could participate in your primary activity)?
Close, Easy Access, Smooth Flat water, Good fishing and hunting
9. Why did you use this particular access point at Cutler Reservoir?
Easy Access (Highway), Clean, Aesthetics

10. In general, how satisfied were you with your recreation experience here today?

Would you say you were: **4.23**

VERY SATISFIED 5 SATISFIED 4 NEUTRAL 3 DISSATISFIED 2 VERY DISSATISFIED 1?

11a. Did anything detract from your use of Cutler reservoir today? YES **13** NO **19**

6 Missing

11b. [IF YES] What were the problems? **too windy, water quality, ramp or dock, other people**

12. The State of Utah sets water quality standards for the Bear River/ Cutler Reservoir based on beneficial use.

12a. Do you think the current water quality supports secondary contact recreation such as boating, wading and similar uses? [PROBE: "Is the water clean enough for secondary contact recreation such as. . .?"] YES **27** NO **3** DK **3 5 Missing**
[IF NO] Why? **Gross, dirty, would not ski**

12b. Do you think the current water quality supports cold water game fisheries?
YES **7** NO **15** DK **10 6 Missing**
[IF NO] Why? **Too Warm, too shallow, too muddy**

12c. Do you think the current water quality supports warm water game fisheries?
YES **20** NO **1** DK **12 5 Missing**
[IF NO] Why?

12d. Do you think the current water quality supports waterfowl, shorebirds and other water-oriented wildlife?
YES **29** NO **0** DK **4 5 Missing**
[IF NO] Why?

12e. Do you think the current water quality supports agricultural uses such as irrigation and stock watering?
YES **28** NO **0** DK **5 5 Missing**
[IF NO] Why?

12f. Do you think the current water quality supports aesthetic or visual enjoyment of the Bear River/Cutler Reservoir?
YES **25** NO **2** DK **5 6 Missing**
[IF NO] Why?

13. How concerned are you about water quality in the Bear River/Cutler Reservoir as it relates to your primary activity? **2.2 (1 do not know, 4 no answer)**

VERY CONCERNED 1 SOMEWHAT CONCERNED 2 NOT CONCERNED 3 DO NOT KNOW

14a. Are you concerned that some activities or land use practices might affect the water quality of the Bear River/Cutler Reservoir YES **19** NO **14 (5 Missing)**

14b. [IF YES] What might these be? **12 Ag. Related, 2 development, 2 oil/pesticides/chemicals, 2 boats and jet skis**

15. Can you think of any management activities or policy changes you would like to see that would enhance your experience at Bear River/Cutler Reservoir? **13 None, 3 Bank Improvements, 3 Water Quality Improvements, and 3 ramp Improvements, 1 more ducks**