

**November 15, 2005**  
**TORNADO STRIKES MOORS RESORT & MARINA**

Sometimes Mother Nature likes to remind us all just who is really in charge. On Tuesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, she did just that. Moors Resort's campground and harbor took a direct hit from a F3 tornado. The campground was completely devastated. All 115 RV's were a total loss. Our hearts are with all those residents that lost their lake havens and contents. It was truly an unbelievable sight. Our land was still there, minus a few trees, but the debris was immense.



After sweeping through the campground, the tornado skipped across the marina harbor and demolished our A-Dock. The first section of this dock was in good shape, but the last two sections were complete rubble.

Until anyone sees this up close, it is really impossible to explain how this dock was lifted up by the tornado and

twisted like a roller coaster doing a 360. We had boats that were total losses, but we had many that only suffered damage. Approximately 8 boats were actually blown into the main lake. These suffered very little damage.

We are very lucky that the twister appeared to have skipped over B-Dock. Although the dock was in the middle of the harbor, it only suffered repairable damage. There again, it is amazing that the boats on this dock were virtually untouched. The marina store only suffered damage to the doors and also was sucked away from the shore. Our rental boat fleet also took a hit, but those were easily replaced with brand new rentals. Our transient dock (also known as D-Dock) along with C-Dock were completely removed and replaced with brand new docks.

