

# 2019 KAMM Annual Conference

## Preconference Day Activity

# Tours of Barkley and Kentucky Dams

September 16, 2019

1:00 – 4:00 p.m. (CST)

### Tours led by:

**Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) and USACE – Nashville District**

Join KAMM for a tour of the Kentucky and Barkley Dams! Visit the technical wonders that form Kentucky and Barkley Lakes and makes the Land Between the Lakes one of Kentucky’s most interesting places for recreation and education. Both dams were constructed for flood control, but also are used for hydroelectric power generation and provide abundant fish and wildlife resources.

This is a unique opportunity for KAMM Conference attendees to experience mitigation-related projects constructed and operated by federal agencies.

**Barkley Dam** is a concrete gravity and earthfill structure that measures 10,180 ft. The powerplant section of the dam contains four generating units capable of producing 130,000 kilowatts. In a typical year, Barkley Power Plant is capable of producing enough electricity to power over 30,000 homes

**Kentucky Dam** is 22 miles upstream from the confluence of the Tennessee River with the Ohio. The dam is the longest in the TVA system, and the reservoir, which stretches for 184 miles across the states of Kentucky and Tennessee, is the largest in the eastern U.S.

**Tour:** Buses will depart the Kentucky Dam Village Conference Center promptly at 1:00 p.m. (CST). The tour includes a 45-minute visit to both dams. Sturdy shoes are required and we will have hard hats for you to wear.

**Register quickly! This tour is limited to the first 40 registrants.**

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**KAMM’s Tour Coordinator:**  
**Marilyn Thomas, KDOW**

**Barkley Navigation Lock**



Click <http://www.lm.usace.army.mil/Locations/Dams/BarkleyDam.aspx> for more information on Barkley Dam.

**Kentucky Dam**



Click <http://www.tva.gov/sites/kentucky.htm> for more information on Kentucky Dam.