

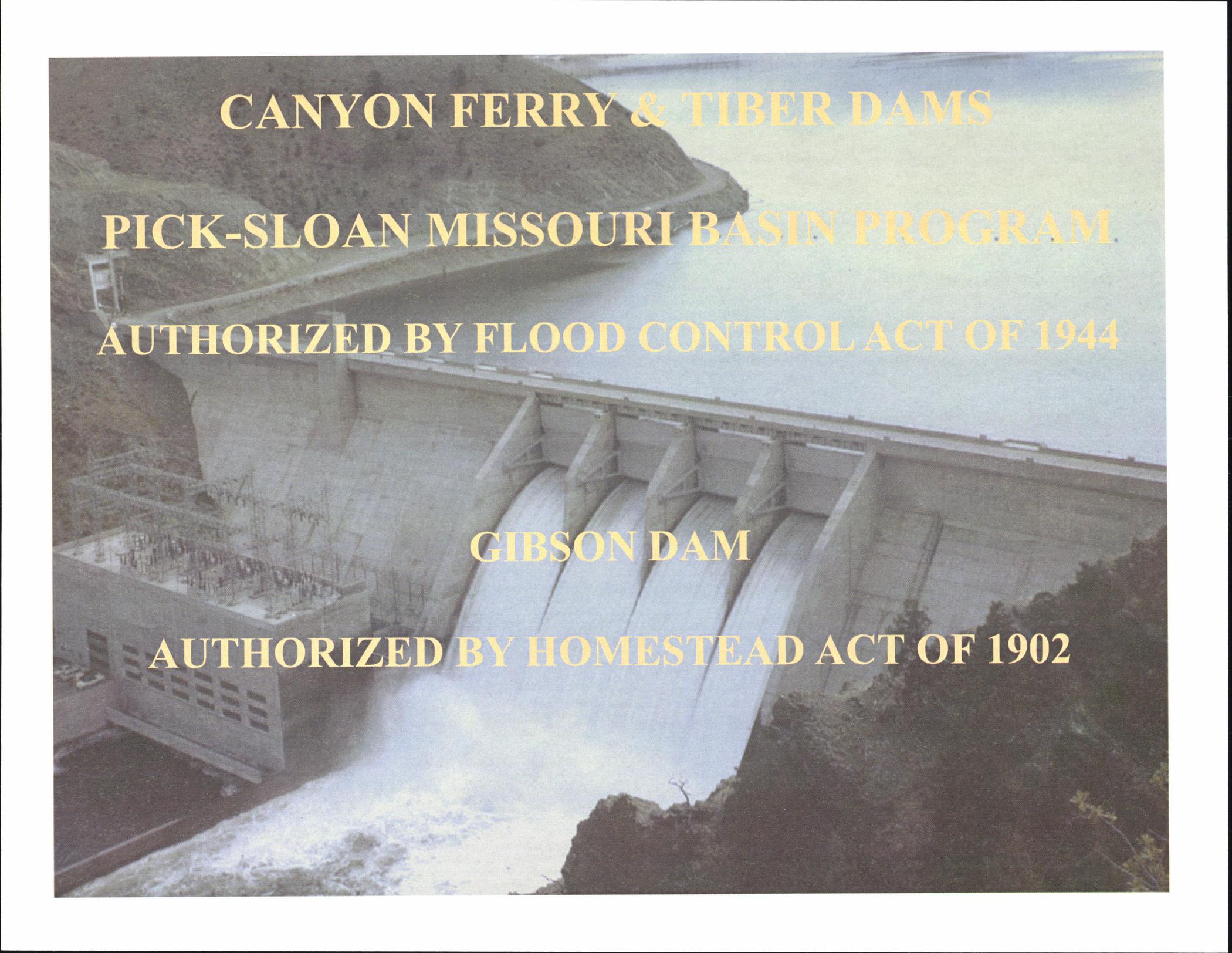
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EXHIBIT 7

An aerial photograph of the Gibson Dam, a large concrete structure with multiple spillways. Water is cascading over the spillways, creating white rapids. The dam is situated in a valley with a river flowing through it. The surrounding landscape is a mix of green vegetation and brown earth.

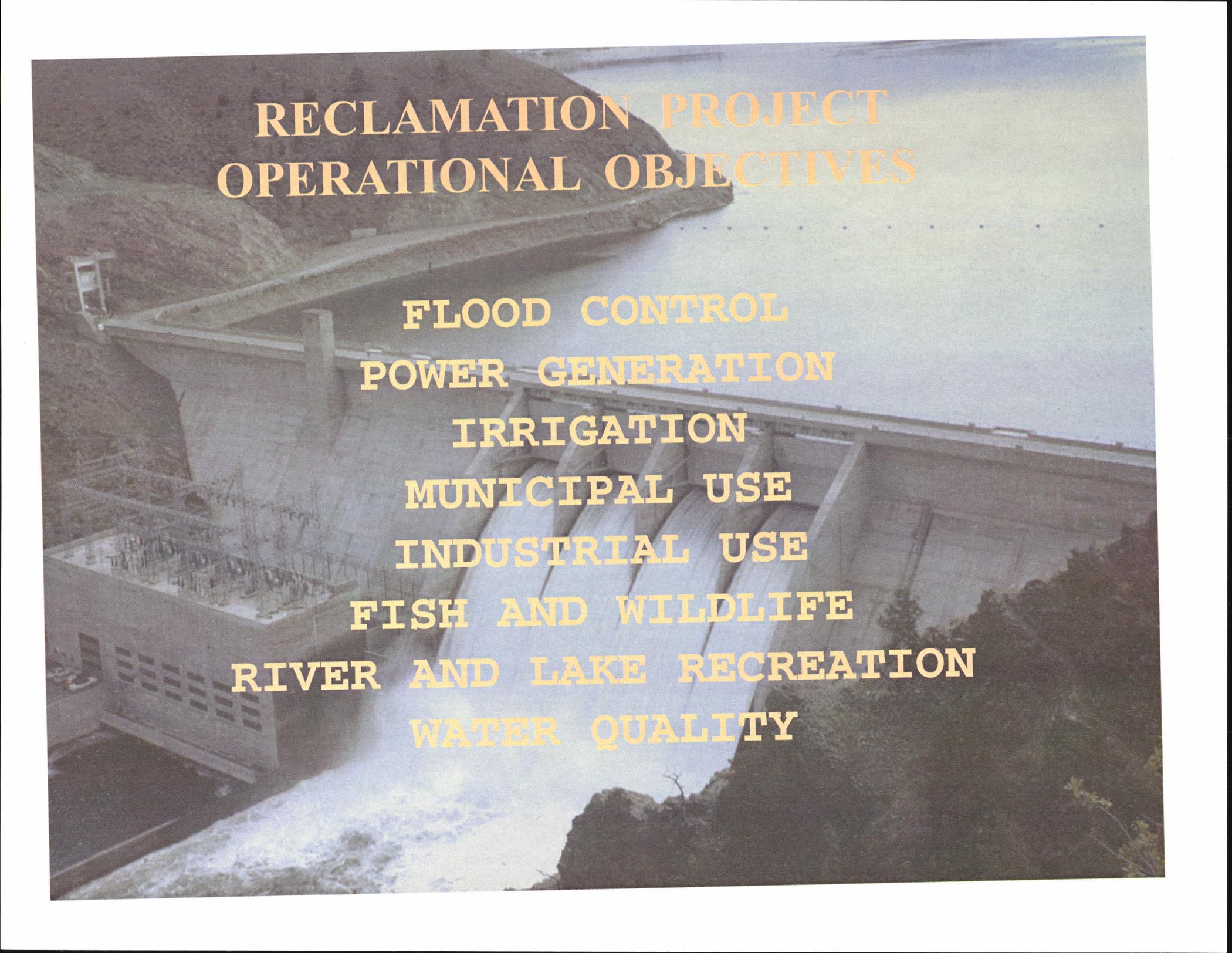
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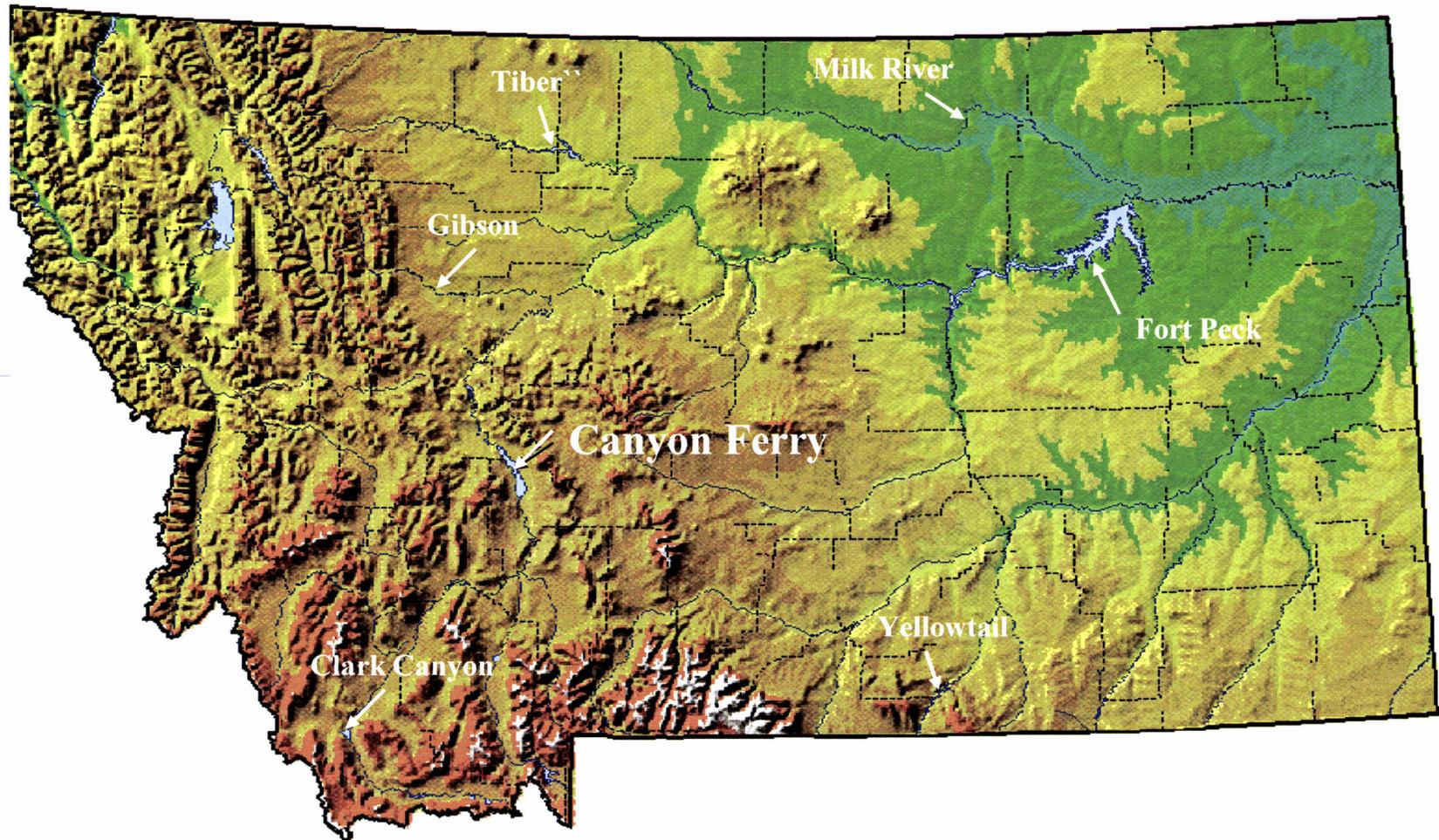
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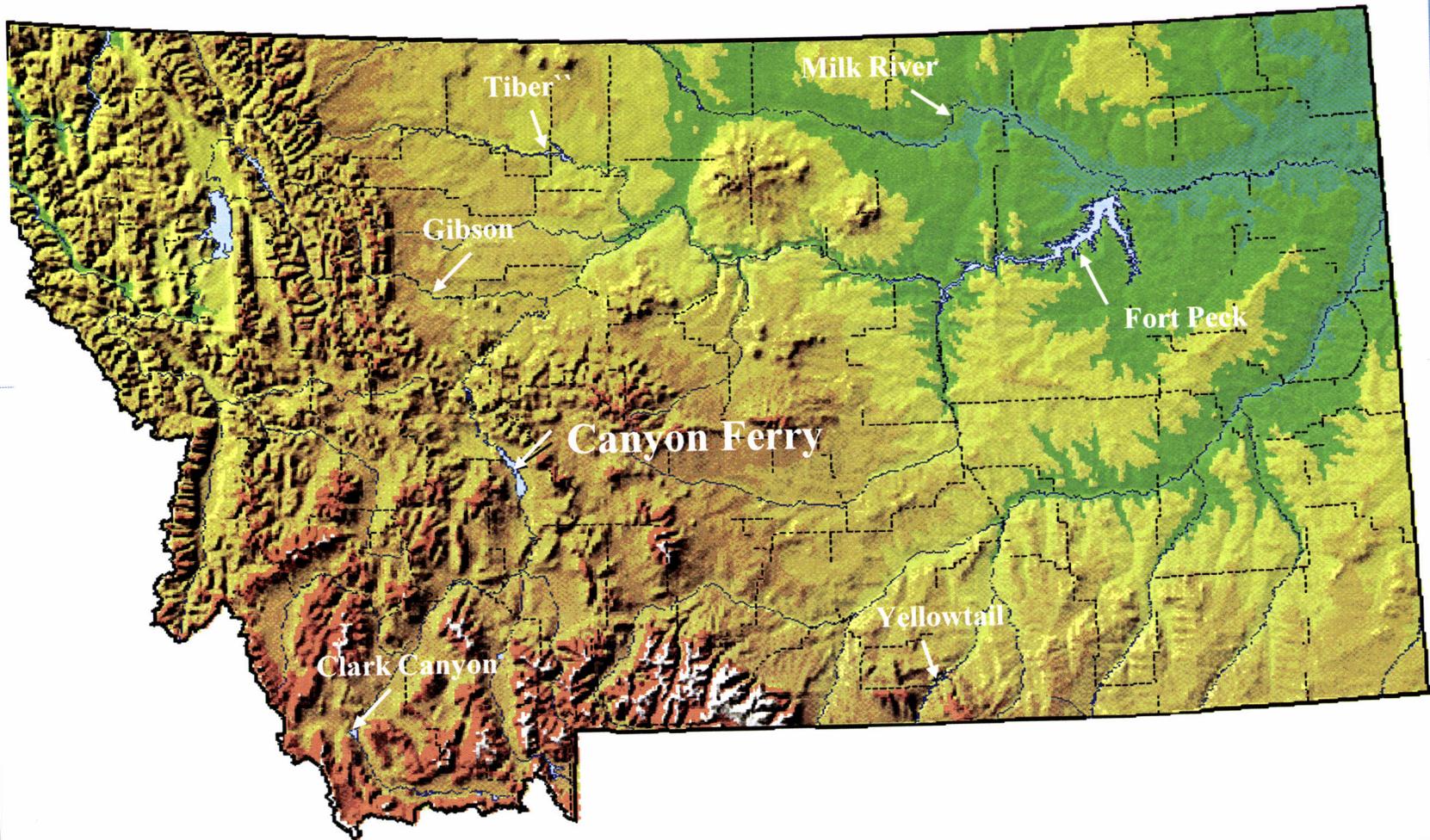
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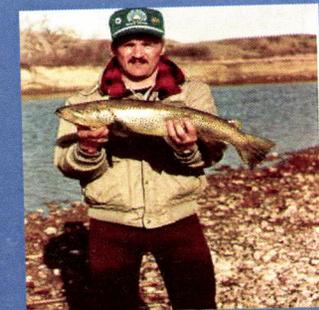
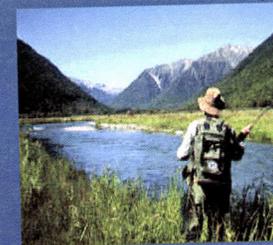
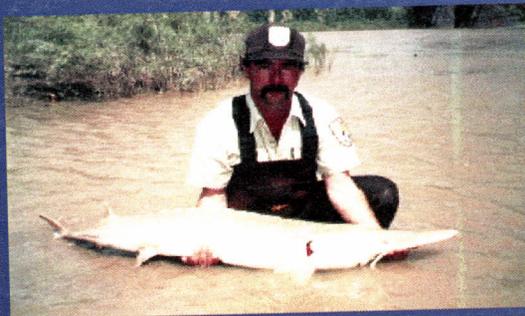
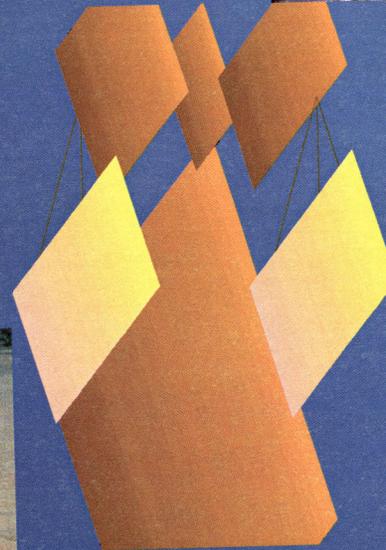
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