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Mr. Crumpton,

The measures being implemented are those prescribed in the consent decree, which is in effect until NPS completes a long-term ORV management plan and regulation. You are correct in your assumption that the park came very close to losing all ORV access to the beaches. The Consent Decree was agreed upon by the attorneys of all parties involved. In the future, we'll do our best to balance the access issue and protect the bird species that we are required by law to protect under the terms of the consent decree.

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Who is really calling the shots on these ridiculous closures? Is it DOI getting calls from Audubon and DOW or are these legitimate sightings by "impartial" experts and I want to stress that impartial experts part.

I am so confused as to why these people are so hell bent on completely closing down all access, my trip next weekend is going to have to cancel, if I can't get to the inlets or the point no sense in wasting the gas to drive down there. And I am confused as to your thoughts Mr. Murray, it appeared that you were striving for a balanced solution with the interim plan. It's obvious that Boyle doesn't have a clue about Hatteras or Ocracoke and could care less other than pleasing his friends at DOW, Audubon and SELC. As for Kempthorne, I really get the impression that he would very much like to see ORV access eliminated completely.