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Dear Mike : Thanks for response.RE: Turtles ; I am quite aware of the recommendations from FWS , NCWRC , and Turtle Recovery Plan . My contention is that they are all based upon conjecture regardless which scientist or regulatory official dreamed them up . The best science here is CAHA data which shows that relocation works on our beaches . With trained personnel we

can safely relocate . So why not work with the villagers again ? The effort might take some edge off their anger . No , it wont be easy dealing with those two agencies but you wanted to think outside thebox . Here's a good place to start . This is definitely a fit topic for NEGREG . BIRDS : We can't continue to use monster buffers for our future . The process is too

costly for NPS and it prevents the the public from their lawful access to the waterline. Again how do you propose to handle rebellious birds who nest off the reservation ? Bob ----- Original Message -----From: <Cyndy_Holda@nps.gov> To: <davisrb@embarqmail.com> Sent: Wednesday, September 17, 2008 4:32 PM Subject: Bob Davis Questions

> Good Afternoon Bob, > Mike sends the following message below as a response to your email. I > checked the NPS visitation website link and it works for me using the > login > and passcode (Guest) like Mike indicates. I trust that it will work for > you. Also, see the attached document regarding hot spots for breeding > birds at CAHA. > Cyndy > From Mike Murray: > Hi Bob, > Responses to your questions are as follows: The Loggerhead Turtle Recovery Plan (FWS, 1991), Section 215, page 30, > 1) > states" "Nest relocation is not an acceptable permanent solution to > vehicular traffic." When, in the Interim Strategy, NPS considered > relocating nests that impact recreational access, both FWS and NC WRC > expressed strong concerns about it (the concerns were consistent with the > recovery plan). I doubt that NPS can or will be able to seriously > consider > it in the long-term plan, unless the guidance changes; however, we > certainly can discuss it with the FWS sea turtle recovery program

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> coordinator Sandra (Sandy) McPherson when she comes to an upcoming RegNeg > committee meeting in order to better understand the reasons for it. > 2) I haven't used the term "bird sanctuaries," but there are clearly some > obvious locations that have a higher frequency and/or density of bird > nesting activity that we will need to address in the ORV plan. These > locations were identified in the "Hot Spots for Breeding Birds" list > (attached) that NPS staff developed and was distributed to the Reg Neg > committee mailing list on June 2, 2008* (see that message pasted at bottom > of page). The list identifies several levels of use, and NPS has not yet > figured out exactly how we will address those sites (or the different > levels) in our alternatives. (See attached file: Hot Spots for Breeding Birds at CAHA-rev.doc) > > 3) There is an NPS visitation statistics website where you can run > reports > by park (e.g., Cape Hatteras, Cape Lookout, etc.), by state (e.g., NC), or > by type of park (e.g., all Seashores) to make the visitation comparisons > you mention. The website can be accessed at > http://www2.nrintra.nps.gov/mpur/ (where you will need to login as > "Guest" > and use password of "Guest") to access and use the site. > Mike Murray > Superintendent > Cape Hatteras NS/ Wright Brothers NMem/ Ft. Raleigh NHS > (w) 252-473-2111, ext. 148 > (c) 252-216-5520 > fax 252-473-2595 > CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE > This message is intended exclusively for the individual or entity to which > it is addressed. This communication may contain information that is > proprietary, privileged or confidential or otherwise legally exempt from > disclosure. > ----- Forwarded by Cyndy Holda/CAHA/NPS on 09/03/2008 04:13 PM -----> > "bobdavis" <davisrb@embarqma > il.com> > То "cyndy holda" <cyndy holda@nps.gov> > > 08/20/2008 08:30 "bobdavis" <davisrb@embarqmail.com> ΑM > > Subject > Island Free Press Interview > > > > > > > > > > > Mike Murray : 1) Relocation of Turtle nests to accomodate recreational > access sounds like a valuable tool. Would give park flexibility in control > of visitor / resource conflict. Why not incorporate into NEGREG ? CAHA > has > had success with relocation. Past objections by NCWRC to this practise > were > based on conjecture rather than facts. 2) Seasonal Closures For Bird > Sanctuaries ; Where did you contemplate these sanctuaries? How big would > they be? How would you handle rebellious birds who wont stay on their > reservations? 3) your comments on visitation decreases at CAHA; What is > difference in numbers compared to Cape Lookout and other Federal Parks in > NC.Difference would show effect of Consent Decree rather than gasoline Bob > costs. Welcome Back. > (The following message, which was distributed as a "bcc:" to the committee > member mailing list, has been copied and pasted by Mike Murray.) > Cvndv > Holda/CAHA/NPS >

То > 06/02/2008 11:59 > ΑМ CC > > Subject > Two Attached Documents for Reg Neg > Members > > > > > > > > > > Good Morning Reg Neg Committee Members! > Attached are two DRAFT documents for consideration and use by Reg Neg > Committee members and relate to topics of discussion by the Committee. > Included are: > 1) A brief summary of NPS thoughts to date on the issue of carrying> capacity and how it might be addressed in ORV management planning, > 2) A list of Shorebird Hot Spots at Cape Hatteras National Seashore. > Again, both of these documents are considered DRAFT and may be subject to > further review and revision by the National Park Service. If time allows, > any revisions to both documents and maps correlating to the text for the > Shorebird Hotspots may be sent out before the June meeting. Please
> contact Thayer Broili if there are any questions that cannot wait until > the > June meeting. > (See attached file: Carrying Capacity Approach for ORV EIS, NPS Suggested > Path Forward shedits acct5.28.08.doc) (See attached file: Hot > Spots for Breeding Birds at CAHA-rev.doc) > Cyndy M. Holda > Assistant to the Superintendent & > Community Liaison > Cape Hatteras NS/Fort Raleigh NHS/Wright Brothers NM > 252-473-2111 ext. 148 > 252-216-6455 cell > 252-473-2595 fax > Email: cyndy holda@nps.gov > CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE > This message is intended exclusively for the individual or entity to which > it is addressed. This communication may contain information that is > proprietary, privileged or confidential or otherwise legally exempt from > disclosure. > ____ NOD32 3447 (20080916) Information __ > > This message was checked by NOD32 antivirus system. > http://www.eset.com