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Subject: Re: Kite surfing and piping plovers
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Thanks

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From: Bert Frost
Sent: 04/09/2009 05:27 PM EDT
To: Mike Murray
Cc: Tammy Whittington; Sandra Hamilton
Subject: Fw: Kite surfing and piping plovers

Mike:

You may already have this, but in case you don't, here it is.

The meeting Mon was not too eventful. They had a lot of pretty photos of terns and oystercatchers loafing on the beach and of course the plea that the beach closures were going to severely impact all the local businesses. Will asked them what they wanted and they said to be included in a fair and open process, the implication is, that it hasn't happened to date. Will agreed they should be involved but didn't go much beyond that. The last 2/3 of the meeting was much more entertaining but not directed at CAHA.

Bert

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Hey Peter

Any thoughts? We have concerns about lack of unified approach within the NPS.

Mf

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Mike et al:

There has been recent activity related to kite surfing at the Cape beaches near piping plover nesting areas. A local attorney/kite surfer has questioned the Seashore policy and requests of the Town of Wellfleet. Because this has some potential to get more attention, we developed the attached briefing statement and included press articles. A big FYI.

PS: Glad to know our colleagues at Cape Hatteras have it all figured out!

[attachment "Piping Plover.Kite Surfing brief 4.2.09.doc" deleted by Mike Murray/CAHA/NPS]

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Thanks,

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