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Virginia,

Visitation data is reported to my office on a monthly (not daily) basis. The traffic counters are read monthly and they is inputted into my program which then calculates a reasonable estimate to the use in the park. Approximately every 10 years I put down temp counters which record daily traffic on these roads. This provides us with an estimate of daily traffic which I then enter into a table for use when a traffic counter fails during the month. These numbers allow us an estimate for those days our rather than just ignoring traffic counter Issues. There are certainly not as up to date as we would prefer but I'm an office of one employee that manages over 2,000 traffic counters across the country.

You are more than welcome to give me a call if I did not explain this well enough. Some data is keep on a daily basis in the parks but rarely are traffic counts.

Hope this answered your question, and if not, please give me a call.

Thanks

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