

From: [Mike Murray](#)
To: [Kristen Brengel](#)
Subject: RE: CAHA ORV plan comments
Date: 05/11/2010 09:54 AM

Thanks!

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To "Mike_Murray@nps.gov" <Mike_Murray@nps.gov>
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Subject RE: CAHA ORV plan comments

Thanks, I did send the comments through the PEPC site. I wanted to make sure you received a copy directly from NPCA.

Thanks-
Kristen

Kristen Brengel
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-----Original Message-----

From: Mike_Murray@nps.gov [mailto:Mike_Murray@nps.gov]
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To: Kristen Brengel
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Subject: Re: CAHA ORV plan comments
Importance: High

Dear Ms. Brengal,

I appreciate receiving your message. NPS is not accepting email or fax comments on the draft Off-road Vehicle Management Plan / Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for Cape Hatteras National Seashore. On major projects such as this one in which we expect to receive thousands or tens of thousands of comments, our regular email and fax systems could easily be overwhelmed by the volume of electronic comments. We have a special website set up that can handle the potential volume of electronic comments. In addition, any written (i.e., hard copy) comments received are ultimately entered by NPS into that system as well. The methods for submitting comments on the DEIS were described in the Federal Register Notice and related press release, which stated the following:

The NPS will accept comments on the DEIS until midnight (Mountain Daylight

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Time) May 11, 2010. Electronic comments may be submitted on-line at the NPS Planning, Environment and Public Comment (PEPC) web site by visiting <http://parkplanning.nps.gov/caha> , clicking on *Open for Comment , clicking on the Off-Road Vehicle Management Plan /EIS , and then clicking on Comment on Document . NPS encourages commenting electronically through PEPC. If you wish to submit your written comments in hard copy (e.g. in a letter), you may send them by U.S. Postal Service or other mail delivery service, which must be postmarked by May 11, or hand-deliver them by May 11 to: Mike Murray, Superintendent, Cape Hatteras National Seashore, 1401 National Park Drive, Manteo, NC 27954. Comments will not be accepted by fax, email, or in any other way than those specified above. Bulk comments in any format (hard copy or electronic) submitted on behalf of others will not be accepted.

Thank you,

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CAHA ORV plan

Director Jarvis, Deputy Director Wenk, Superintendent Murray and Mr. Machlis:

Please accept our joint comments with NRDC and The Wilderness Society on the Cape Hatteras off-road vehicle plan. We appreciate the National Park Service's effort to comply with its regulations and hope our comments are well-received. In the near future, we would appreciate an opportunity to discuss our concerns with you in-person before the Final EIS is published.

Thank you-
Kristen

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