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Britta,

See feedback below. While I realize that you and staff feel you are subject to stakeholder criticism on a daily basis (believe me, I understand that feeling), it is also good to consider unsolicited feedback at face value (i.e., as an attempt to communicate concerns) regarding how our actions are perceived. In this case, while not blowing it out of proportion, it may be a good to remind staff that people are watching and how we operate our vehicles in and near closures does affect perceptions.

Thanks,

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To: Mike_Murray@nps.gov
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Mike,

2 quick things.

1st- I've been meaning to say thank you for the much needed work and repairs to ramp 44. It seems after a little trial and error that the ramp build-up has worked out great and the material seems to be hardening and compacting well. Thank you for the repair.

2nd- I am not going to stir the pot in public about this one, as I see no benefit from it, but to cause more discontent, so only you and I will know of it.

The biologist that is driving that late model, burgandy Chevy could use a little common sense when driving, especially considering the current issues.

While I was sitting in my kayak inside the hook the other day I observed this person drive out of the closure in reverse for roughly a half mile. I find it hard to believe that a person could avoid these small and sensitive birds better in reverse, than in a forward motion. And, I am sure the public would've jumped all over this themselves, especially since they were in the closure for Piping Plovers.

Now, I had a video camera on me and could have easily shot this and thrown it out on the net for all to see, which would have definitely lead to a giant fall out, but I saw no positive repercussions for anyside, so I decided to just notify you instead

I advise you to tell your people the same thing I tell mine. You never know who is watching or can see you, so it is best to act right no matter where you are or who you think is or isn't around to see you.

All it takes is one high powered digital camera or video camera to make everyone's life harder.

Rob