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Subject: Re: CAHA DEIS - fishing tournaments

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Doug,

All of the comments are correct. As to number 5, Pea Island is managed by FWS and would be the permitting authority for its use in the tournament. And, it prohibits ORVs of any variety on its beaches. It probably should not have been mentioned.

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Hi Steve.

We're working on responding to public comments on the ORV-DEIS and I came across a comment that you may be able to help me with. It's with respect to the content of Table 36 on page 262 of the DEIS, entitled "Fishing Tournaments 2004-2008". I'll post the text of the comment below. Please call or email me at your convenience. Thanks.

The content of Table 36 regarding the Cape Hatteras Anglers Club (CHAC) fishing tournament is incorrect in the following ways:

- 1. The 2005 tournament was authorized for 720 not 600,
- 2. The 2006 tournament which is omitted was authorized for 720.

- 3. The tournament location for 2004 was not limited to 0.2 miles from ramps as stated.
- 4. Tournaments for 2006 (omitted), 2007 and 2008 had the 0.2 mile ramp limitation.
- 5. Pea Island NWR has never been requested for the C1JAC tournament yet is listed as an excluded "Tournament location within the Seashore". Pea Island NWR is not managed by NPS. but this reference implies that it is, and if so. Pea Island NWR must be listed as a beach that the public has available as a non-DRY beach on page xiii.
- 6. Since 2005 the tournament has been allowed to use 0.7 miles north of Ramp 43 for access to fish, but is omitted on Table 10.
- 7. Listing "Hatters Island" as the "Tournament location within the Seashore" for the years 2007 and 2008 is not correct. The corrected language listed for 2004 and 2005 should have been listed here.

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