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**Subject:** Re: call from Allen Burress  
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Mike

Yes, that is what we have been advising to the visitors. The sound side access areas are open to ORVs at night. The only sound side area not open would be at the Cable Crossing, because the Pole Road is closed and to get to it you would need to drive onto the beach.

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-----Mike Murray/CAHA/NPS wrote: -----

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David,

Cyndy had a voice mail from Allen Burress with a question about night driving at the soundside access point by the Hatteras Coast Guard Station. Since Cyndy is on leave, I called Allen back. His question was whether or not the 10 pm to 6 am night driving restriction applied at that site. I reviewed the wording in the consent decree (which states it applies in sea turtle nesting habitat on the ocean side) and told him that I believed the rangers were telling people it was okay to drive to that access point all hours (since it does not fall under the night driving restriction). I told Allen that I would let you know what I had said, so that you were aware I had given him that information (which is hopefully correct). If my response to him is incorrect, please call him (216-7019) and let him know.

Thanks,

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