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Subject: Re: sup order 8?
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All that I can gather is that in the past, closures and closure sizes were not installed consistently. The nests were protected from being driven over but there were no full beach closures for chicks. Closures would be larger in areas that did not impact ORV access. Shiloh and Ted Simons may be able to provide some perspective on this for AMOYs. Part of his study involved comparisons of productivity where beaches were closed to ORVs vs. open to ORVs.

I've never seen anything written in detail but I do know that staff was very limited and they were responsible for bird and turtle patrol. I think in 2000 Doug McGee was responsible for all the bird and turtle work on Ocracoke by himself. He possibly had the help of one SCA for a short period of time.

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Thanks for the perspective, Thayer.

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As I mentioned in my previous e-mail, I don't have any of the details on management prior to 2006. It would seem almost certain that management changed for PIPL sometime after it was listed, but that has to be tempered with the fact that it appears that management of the birds has changed repeatedly over the years, sometime year-to-year, and I would imagine numerous times without any documentation of the changes. We can only document how it's changed since we got here. Britta may have more background and she may be able to ask Doug McGee what he knows since he's the only biologist type who's been here longer than we have. If it ain't in the Protected Species EA, it's almost impossible to determine without extensive research of archives (which is likely to not turn up much) or oral history (which doesn't exist). The other route would be to try to find out from Sherri Fields at SER or ask the FWS folks in Raleigh. I would think we're way beyond trying to recreate any unknown history at this point.

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Thanks Thayer.

How was species management addressed between the 1978 plan and SO #7? Did management change when PIPL became listed in 1986 and/or when CWB began to be listed locally?


Thanks for the help.

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See attached.

[attachment "SUPT's Order #07-ORV Mgt.doc" deleted by Doug Wetmore/DENVER/NPS] [attachment "SUPT's Order #10MonitoringSpecies.doc" deleted by Doug Wetmore/DENVER/NPS]

S.O.# 8 addresses Permanent Change of Station and therefore not be pertinent. S.O. #7 was promulgated by Mike Murray in 2006. S.O. #10 was promulgated by his predecessor, Larry Belli, in 2005. I could find no other S.O.s that might address anything close to this issue.

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Thayer/Paul:

I'm responding to public comments and saw a reference to CAHA superintendent's order 8 with regard to species protection under a previous management plan. Is this something that you have a copy of and could send (email/fax) to me?

Thanks.

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