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Bcc: [Mike Murray](#)
Subject: Re: "Press Release: Ocracoke Sea Turtle Fatality"
Date: 06/30/2010 08:29 AM

John,
Your assumption that NPS staff ran over the turtle is absurd.
But I'll pass your information along to the Chief Ranger of the park.

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06/29/2010 05:04 PM

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Please to Mike:

At the hour described, the only vehicles that should have been operating in the area are NPS vehicles!.. So either one of your staff ran over the animal, or someone else came into the area and did it. Why were they not apprehended by NPS and charged. So easy to find an incident and close another 500 meters of beach. Patrol and issue tickets! From the photo, the animal appears to have been in bad shape to start with, and the eggs could have been saved if the photo op was not more important. I am really over the whole mess. The policy you are following is killing an entire community financially, and for what, birds that are not even a species of concern. Please pass to Mike and no disrespect to you.

Thanks: John

On Jun 25, 2010, at 2:07 PM, Cyndy_Holda@nps.gov wrote:

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