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Thanks to all involved who enabled passage to the Point! It was so wonderful to be there and see so many enjoying that special spot. Trucks lined the ocean area: few were along the beach between 43 and the Point area. No one was even near the bird area. The bypass is much appreciated by all.

We also have noticed the change in the turtle light filter. It is arranged in a much smaller path area. This may help cut down the ghost crab assult on the hatchlings. I hope that with the new ORV regulation ORVs will be able to be much closer to the nest at all times in order to diminish the many ghost crab predators in the area. I am still concerned when I see the vast number of ghost crabs along the area between the high and low tide line at night just waiting for a meal. I doubt any hatchlings can survive to the water. Hopefully we will be able to have an active nest sitting program soon.

Barbara Ackley