

To: Janssen, Miles[miles.janssen@bia.gov]
From: Appel, Elizabeth
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Thank you!!!

On Thu, Jun 8, 2017 at 5:00 PM, Janssen, Miles <miles.janssen@bia.gov> wrote:

This was sent in yesterday.

On Thu, Jun 8, 2017 at 4:49 PM, Bowman, Randal <randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov> wrote:

I have written statements from the Navajo Nation, Hopi Tribe, Zuni Pueblo and the Santa Clara Indian Pueblo, but nothing from the Commission or the Coalition.

On Thu, Jun 8, 2017 at 4:47 PM, Appel, Elizabeth <elizabeth.appel@bia.gov> wrote:

Hi Randy-

Thanks for reviewing so quickly! I'm attaching the written input of the Navajo Nation and other Tribes, and of the Pueblo of Laguna, expressing their opposition to any change to Bears Ears monument.

We have also heard nearly unanimous opposition at the listening sessions. We only have one transcript to date, which I am attaching FYI.

Please let me know if I can provide any additional information.

Thanks again!

Liz

On Thu, Jun 8, 2017 at 3:29 PM, Bowman, Randal <randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov> wrote:

Thank you for many clarifications and good suggestions. I want to let you know that we do not plan to release any public comments with this report, or as far as I know, later. While we include the positions of Tribes, along with Members of Congress and Governors, on Bears Ears in this report, we do not plan to release their detailed comments. We don't plan to address comments from those sources on other monuments in the report, as many MCs and Governors, and possibly Tribes, have not yet responded.

Also, a return question - you suggested inclusion of "The Bears Ears InterTribal Coalition has expressed strong opposition to any change to the Bears Ears monument." However, neither SOL nor myself has been able to find this in any written comments. Do you have this from your comment site, or did they state this to Jim Cason during the May 25 meeting? I have

a question in to him on this, but if you have such a statement in writing, or were at the meeting where they aid it, we will go with this. It it what everyone thinks their position is, but we don't want to rely on media reports. And same question on the Bears Ears Commission.

On Thu, Jun 8, 2017 at 2:55 PM, Appel, Elizabeth <elizabeth.appel@bia.gov> wrote:

Hi Randy-
Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment. I am attaching suggested edits from IA.

Please let us know if you would like to discuss any of our suggestions or if we can provide any additional information.

Liz

On Thu, Jun 8, 2017 at 1:39 PM, Moore, Nikki <nmoore@blm.gov> wrote:

Hi Randy,
Please find attached our suggested edits on the two documents. Thanks for the opportunity to comment.

Nikki

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On Wed, Jun 7, 2017 at 5:49 PM, Bowman, Randal <randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov> wrote:

Attached are drafts of the interim report on the monument review process and the economic report on the Bears Ears monument. Please review and have any comments back to me by 3 pm tomorrow, June 8.

Due to late edits to the draft economic report there are some formatting issues there that will be corrected; no need to comment on those.

I regret the short turn-around, but that is likely to be the norm for this process.

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