

From: Bowman, Randal
To: [Moore, Nikki](#)
Subject: Re: Monument Review final comments
Date: Monday, August 07, 2017 2:05:06 PM
Attachments: [image.png](#)

Thanks.

On Mon, Aug 7, 2017 at 3:03 PM, Moore, Nikki <nmoore@blm.gov> wrote:

We use Bison connect

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On Mon, Aug 7, 2017 at 2:17 PM, Bowman, Randal <randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov> wrote:

Nikki, your new coders are contacting Stu reporting the emails with the sign-up information are not getting through. Does BLM have its own email system, or do you use Bison Connect?

On Mon, Aug 7, 2017 at 8:37 AM, Moore, Nikki <nmoore@blm.gov> wrote:

Thanks Cindy! I'm including Betsy as well since it sounds like she's willing to help out as well!

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On Fri, Aug 4, 2017 at 3:48 PM, Osorto, Cindy <cosorto@blm.gov> wrote:

Hi Nikki,

In the last email, Randy recommended to contact Marsha Cash (marcia_cash@fws.gov) for any questions while he is away.

For help with website-related questions, Stu Shulman is the person to go to (stu@texifter.com).

New users have to create an account with <http://doi.discovertext.com/registration.aspx>, and be added by Randy/Stu/Marsha as a peer in order to get the comments for review. The invite will appear as "July 20 65285 Uncoded Singles No Attachments" under Peers/Requests.

Once the new user accepts this invite, it will appear under Coding>Code a Dataset.

I'm attaching an example of a comment below. Most comments will likely be "opposed to review," such as this one stating that he/she doesn't want a reduction.



Best,
Cindy

On Fri, Aug 4, 2017 at 3:26 PM, Moore, Nikki <nmoore@blm.gov> wrote:
Hi Randy,

We have a few more BLM folks that can assist with the public comment review from our Directorate since a few from our team are out on fire assignments and leave over the next few weeks. What is the best way for them to get up to speed with the training? Is the webinar recorded where they could access a link? I've copied them on this email. We have one person that needs to access it remotely.

Thanks so much!

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On Wed, Aug 2, 2017 at 3:26 PM, Bowman, Randal
<randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov> wrote:

We encountered unexpected delays in having these available for review. As I believe I reported earlier, the number of comments on the last day of the comment period and the number of attachments they contained overloaded the [regs.gov](https://www.blm.gov/regs) system, causing errors, and it took 2 weeks for the staff there to resolve that and have the comments ready for transfer to us. Due to massive amount of data, it also took over a week for our contractor to get these uploaded into the DiscoverText system, sort out the form letters and otherwise have them ready.

I have just a few minutes ago notified the coding team that they comments are ready for review.

Would you please urge your agency members of that team to spend as much time on these as possible in the next 2 weeks so we have the comment review completed prior to the deadline. It is clearly doable, given the rate as which comments were reviewed previously, but will need a concerted effort.

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