

**From:** Cash, Marcia  
**To:** [Bowman, Randal](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Just doublechecking - Need for comment posting  
**Date:** Friday, May 12, 2017 10:26:52 AM

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Good. Will await your call.

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On Fri, May 12, 2017 at 11:26 AM, Bowman, Randal <[randal\\_bowman@ios.doi.gov](mailto:randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

How about 2:30?

On Fri, May 12, 2017 at 11:25 AM, Cash, Marcia <[marcia\\_cash@fws.gov](mailto:marcia_cash@fws.gov)> wrote:

I'm available all afternoon.

Call at your convenience.

You're up to 1400 comments with 600 pending post.

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On Fri, May 12, 2017 at 11:24 AM, Bowman, Randal <[randal\\_bowman@ios.doi.gov](mailto:randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Not yet from Jennifer. I think I have finished all the meetings I am going to have today - hopefully not "famous last words" - and so if you want to talk about this give me a time good for you this afternoon and I'll call

On Fri, May 12, 2017 at 10:14 AM, Cash, Marcia <[marcia\\_cash@fws.gov](mailto:marcia_cash@fws.gov)> wrote:

Let me study this and get back to you. I see where you're going with this.

It looks like comments have not been posted yet today. Have you heard back from Jennifer?

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On Fri, May 12, 2017 at 9:53 AM, Bowman, Randal <[randal\\_bowman@ios.doi.gov](mailto:randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Realized I omitted one category - for each monument, substantive comment proposing expansion or boundary revision to better protect resources

On Fri, May 12, 2017 at 9:25 AM, Cash, Marcia <[marcia\\_cash@fws.gov](mailto:marcia_cash@fws.gov)> wrote:  
Usually comments trickle in throughout the comment period, and then pour in during the last few days. That's when most of the comments typically come in.

Point 2 is our offer to take on this responsibility for the Department.

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On Fri, May 12, 2017 at 9:21 AM, Bowman, Randal  
<[randal\\_bowman@ios.doi.gov](mailto:randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Thank you so much for your offer on points 2 and 3 - will look forward to your thoughts on comment review. Do we need to talk on point 2, or is it just the offer? I was guessing we would get about 100,000 comments. In your experience, do the [regs.gov](http://regs.gov) ones come in fairly steadily, or will the number pick up as time goes on?

Jennifer said she was checking email, so I'll ask on posting with a copy to you. Again, thank you for your help.

On Fri, May 12, 2017 at 9:11 AM, Cash, Marcia <[marcia\\_cash@fws.gov](mailto:marcia_cash@fws.gov)> wrote:

Good morning Randal,

1. Earlier this week Jennifer told me she would be out today. I told her I would post comments that came in today.

I want to make sure that's still the case. I'll be happy to post them.

FYI - you have 1061 comments.

2. Also, I'd like to revisit the handling of mailed-in comments. Fish has a staff person who can do the scanning and uploading. It would be the proper way of including those in the docket.

We are offering the Department this service as well.

3. I'm compiling a list for you about considerations for comment review. The earlier we start organizing our thoughts on this the better. I'll be sending you a separate email later today about this.

I'm at your disposal all day, so if you want to discuss, call at any time.

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