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From: Savidge, Michael
Sent: Thur 2/6/2014 7:33:26 PM
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Subject: Fwd: Advancing the Dog Mgt Plan and preparing for WASO support on Rulemaking
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FYI.
Mike

PS. We already have everyone else on board for April 3-4. Not sure if you feel it is necessary to push back two weeks to week of April 16-17.

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From: **Sauvajot, Raymond** <ray_sauvajot@nps.gov>
Date: Wed, Feb 5, 2014 at 4:14 PM
Subject: Re: Advancing the Dog Mgt Plan and preparing for WASO support on Rulemaking
To: "Savidge, Michael" <michael_j_savidge@nps.gov>

Hi Mike,
Thanks for the note and invitation, and sorry for my delayed response! It has been crazy here, with selling a house, buying a house, transitioning to new job, and separating from the family for now. Anyway, I would like to continue to be engaged as much as possible... Unfortunately, the dates in April have me in Colorado at Sr Mgmt Team meetings. I'm not certain if those dates will stick, but I will know by Friday. If the dates change, I could do the GGNRA trip. If not, I won't be able to participate. I assume your dates are pretty fixed at this stage? For what it's worth, I've got much more flexibility during the next two weeks in April, between the 7th and 18th.

Ray

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On Wed, Feb 5, 2014 at 12:27 PM, Savidge, Michael <michael\_j\_savidge@nps.gov> wrote:

Hey Ray,  
Happy News Year! Know that you are in transition now back in DC, and that your role has changed from regional to national one. In that regard, we will be holding our final IDT on the Dog Mgt plan as a step into both the final FEIS and Rulemaking on April 3-4 here in GGNRA.

Recognizing both your participation in the past, and the national office's interest in this(as well as rule-making going thru

WASO this year), we thought you might have a continued interest in participating, on Bert's behalf, in this last IDT. Russ Wilson will also participate to share WASO's policy perspective.

Can this fit within any need to be back here around that time? We can fund the travel.

Appreciate your consideration of this as you were a key voice in the past, and this has gotten much Congressional interest, as well as Jewell's.

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**To:** Sauvajot, Raymond[ray\_sauvajot@nps.gov]  
**From:** Savidge, Michael  
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On Thu, Feb 6, 2014 at 11:51 AM, Sauvajot, Raymond <ray\_sauvajot@nps.gov> wrote:

Ok. I'll keep you posted and should know tomorrow about the dates.

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On Thu, Feb 6, 2014 at 2:50 PM, Savidge, Michael <michael\_j\_savidge@nps.gov> wrote:

Ray,  
I understand what a transition like that entails, and appreciate your continued interest in participating with us to bring the dog mgt plan(and rule) to bed (as well as keep abreast of the draft rule which will be going thru WASO this year).

Let us know as soon as you know about whether the senior mgt team mtg dates change when you hear on Friday. Alternate dates from April 7-18 did not look promising in original pool of participants, but I am willing to check again if April 3-4 cannot work for you. Just need to know soon.

Hope either way to catch up with you soon.

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