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Cc: [REDACTED]
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Good Morning,

I am a full-time resident of Widgi Creek on Century Drive in Bend, Oregon

Here are my comment and suggestion regarding the above mentioned file.

First, I understand that campers must moved their RV's, tents, etc. every 14 days from the site they occupied across from Widgi Creek. So what do those 'campers' do: they move their RV's and tents an average of 50 feet and call it good for another 14 days. Thus repeating the same process throughout the summer. What do we end up with: squatters! Not to mention piles of garbage, human waster, crime, trespassing, fire danger, and unsightly scenic-by-way on Century Drive.

Until your final decision on this matter, which I understand will not be until the end of summer 2020, here is my suggestion: Post this sign at the unlocked gate entrance:

Johane Van Camp, R.N., PAC.

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WARNING CAMPERS!

THE FOREST SERVICE IS CONSIDERING
CLOSING THIS AREA TO ALL CAMPING.

WHY?

Large amounts of GARBAGE, HUMAN WASTE, and
TOILET PAPER are being left at these dispersed areas.

There are also problems with tree cutting,
vehicles driving off of roads, and trampled plants.

THE PUBLIC IS COMPLAINING ABOUT THE MESS.

IF YOU WANT TO CONTINUE CAMPING HERE:

- PACK OUT all garbage and unburied toilet paper.
- BURY YOUR POOP at least 6 inches deep and more than 100 feet from any body of water.
- DO NOT cut or shoot trees.
- STAY on established trails and open roads.
- Enjoy your public lands responsibly and LEAVE NO TRACE.



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