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First name: Dean

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Organization:

Title:

Comments: Re: Link not working

Here's my comments of the 2018 Forest Plan Revision. Please let me know if they come through ok.

Thank you,

Dean Rand

On Mon, Oct 29, 2018 at 4:27 PM FS-Chugach Forest Plan Revision <chugachplanrevision@fs.fed.us> wrote:

Hi Dean, We are still researching the problem to our national Forest Service database and we hope to have more information out soon. We do value your comments and are working to resolve the issue. You can send your comments to this inbox and we will verify we have received them.

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From: Dean Rand [mailto:dean.rand@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, October 26, 2018 3:12 PM

To: FS-Chugach Forest Plan Revision <chugachplanrevision@fs.fed.us>

Subject: Re: Link not working

Regarding the broken internet link for submitting Forest Plan comments:

We are on the road at this time and were planning to submit our Forest Plan comments online when we get the time and internet connection, just as many other interested persons that we've spoke with are planning. This is 2018, we don't even know anyone who still uses a fax machine and now that we're traveling remotely, couldn't even get anything printed and mailed for at least another two weeks.

Without providing a quick repair to your electronic submission system, I believe that there will be many concerned citizens left out of this comment process. Please consider extending the Nov 1 deadline until after repairs have been made to your system and the public has received adequate notice that they can indeed submit comments as expected, electronically.

Most folks wait until the last moment to anything theses days if it's available to do online. That was also our plan until receiving your email a short time ago.

As probably the longest running and largest Chugach National Forest Special Use permitted business, we've been thinking long and hard regarding what comments to make regarding this latest Forest Plan. What you are telling us now is that we can't provide those valuable comments. That is unacceptable.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Dean Rand, Megan Ciana

Discovery Voyages

On Fri, Oct 26, 2018 at 4:47 PM FS-Chugach Forest Plan Revision <chugachplanrevision@fs.fed.us> wrote:
Hi Dean, We are aware there is an issue with submitting electronic comments into the national database for the Chugach National Forest draft Land Management Plan. We are not sure what the problem is and we working on a solution. We value the input from the public and appreciate the time and energy people put into their comments. We will post on our website and social media once the issue has been resolved.

We are recommending that people choose one of the other options for submitting comments - FAX to (907) 743-9476 or send or deliver written comments to:

Chugach National Forest's Supervisor's Office

Attn: Draft Land Management Plan

161 East 1st Street, Door 8,

Anchorage, AK 99501

The comment period is scheduled to end close of day November 1st.

From: Dean Rand [mailto:dean.rand@gmail.com]

Sent: Thursday, October 25, 2018 7:20 AM

To: FS-Chugach Forest Plan Revision <chugachplanrevision@fs.fed.us>

Subject: Link not working

Hi, when I try to comment on the Forest Plan using the link provided in email as option 1. Electronically at ...etc., that link appears to be a dead end.

Thanks,

Dean

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