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Comments: Please do NOT loosen regulations regarding protection of the bats. The period of time AND the distance regulations are important for the survival of the species. Bats are essential to protecting our environment, for example as natural controllers of insects that damage crops. We must protect these creatures, particularly when the young are being nurtured.