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Comments: Comments on proposed fee system

Hello.

In principal I'm in support of limiting the entry to these overused trails. After reading the very general proposal, I have the following comments:

- \* The fee is too high since it's a per person fee - why is it different than what I've been paying to hike the Obsidian Trail? A group of 12 can hike with a processing fee of \$6.
  - \* There should be a group fee.
  - \* How about being able to buy a season hiking fee?
  - \* Where are the fees going? Nowhere do we learn how the fees will be spent. Staffing to enforce the entry system? Trail maintenance? Reserve fund?
  - \* Also, nowhere do we learn how flexible the reservation system will be. Can I book (and change dates) for the whole hiking season? I realize that you're asking for comments about the fee structure, but it isn't an isolated aspect of this proposal.
  - \* You don't mention fines for those who do not have a permit. I think it's part of the fee system discussion.
- Thank you for asking for comments.

All the best, Leslie

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