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Comments: Permits and Fees For Mt Washington, Jefferson and Three Sisters Trailheads

Attention: USDA Representative -

So a couple of things about your interest in creating a pass system at 19 trailheads with a new fee:

- 1. We already pay for this in taxes
- 2. It is negatively effect low income people
- 3. We already pay for the NW Forest Pass
- 4. We already pay for the ACCESS Pass

I am ok with a permit system with no charge, where would we get these though, the Forest Service Offices are not open on the weekends so again, that is not manageable for those of us who hike on the weekend.

I would say leave it as it is, or have a person you provide at each of those trailheads who are there, 7 am to 6 pm to monitor the permits and take our money.

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