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Comments: Parking and general volume of congestion is a big issue at Chantry Flats. Having spent about 20 years in the canyon, I've seen first hand the volume of guests grow to amounts beyond reasonable capacity for the parking lots and road with weekends being complete madness. The charter idea is a good one ONLY if the following terms were to be applied for charter use:

*Registration required in advance for charter ride

*Guests are required to book a return charter time slot or acknowledge they will not need a return ride.

*The charter runs until 4 pm allowing last minute registered guests to successfully have a ride back to the original pick up location.

*Full time staff to support charter traffic control in the chantry parking lot during summer seasons.

The reason for the suggestions/ opinion on only agreeing with the charter idea with those terms is because not only will the general public block the designated charter parking spot, there needs to be accountability for who is taking the charter with advance registration requiring guests using the charter to enter their information. If it's free with no reservations, we will see a huge population of homeless squatters which creates a hostile environment for the recreation family use and puts everyone at risk. Safety is a priority to also ensure guests are able to get back to the original pick up location by a reasonable time frame and do not end up stranded without cell phone signal. My opinion stands that I am only for the charter with those conditions. If those conditions are not part of the charter terms of use, then please do not move forward as it will simply create more chaos and problems for the area. Thank you,