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Thank you for taking the time and reading my email. I would just like to voice my opinion to you on the drama regarding Oceano Dunes in California. It amazes me as I know more the dilemma that a bird and some weeds have cause the closure of a ONE OF A KIND location in California. We are already portrayed as idiot liberals cry babies for numerous reasons. I'm all with taking care of our earth. We need to use commons sense. This first area closure years ago was also just being used as a ploy to close the beach area to offroad vehicle use in these coming years to my opinion.

There are hundreds of thousands of people who take their families to the beach and dunes numerous times throughout the year. To us, it is a way to get away from the city, enjoy nature, and spend quality family time together. Something that is rare. Values and ethics are lost thus the results of disrespectful kids and shootings etc.It is a HUGE part of enjoying family time. These feelings are shared be myself, my family, and all of my friends. This closure has placed a bird and "mysterious non scientifically proven illness only to a

Specific type of human "weird right? Take a poll of the affected... age, sex, ethnicity. Is how come other surrounding business and closer neighbors in the area don't complain? Why is it that certain group. This could of been avoided long time ago but he we are at it again.

I have been going to the dunes yearly since 1990. I was now planning to take my 1 year-old daughter there to enjoy the experience I have known for years. The recent closures have put a great damper on our plans. This closure is forcing more people to

camp and ride closer together. This makes it much more dangerous for all of us. The closed areas offered us a way to spread out, which made it a lot safer for everyone.

I beg of you to help reverse the recent closure decision. If this Non proven illness. We are willing to work something out but the red shirts (real immature) have no proof. really in danger, I have no problem with closing a SMALL area and planting the trees that were taken out! Lol a while ago. If possible, why not transplant them into the areas of the dunes that are already closed? I am sure the offroad community would agree with this and would be willing to help in the transplanting. The designated area would be left untouched by offroaders. Offroaders do not want to run over plants, trees, or anything else out there. We fear putting holes in our tires. This is simple common sense. This makes no sense.

I also want to point to the fact that family and individuals spend thousands of dollars annually on our sport - fuel, food, camping fees, etc. A major portion of this money goes to the cities bordering the dunes. This amount does not even include the TENS OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS families spend on trailers, motorhomes, bikes, quads, sandrails and accessories. This is a MULTIMILLION DOLLAR industry. The effects of these closures will be enormous. I don't feel that the plaintiffs in the lawsuit to close the dunes even considered this issue. If the real reason for the closure is the BAD ELEMENT that has shown up in the dunes in the past couple of years, you should go to the Facebook Dune Riders web site and review some of the comments people are making. A real negative attitude is building from the REAL DUNERS towards these troublemakers. I strongly feel that this BAD ELEMENT will be eliminated real soon. We can't move the dunes elsewhere and ride along the beach can we? If so let's do it ... if not, why should hundreds of thousands or in the millions be affected by how many complaints

? It's crazy this is even happening. Ha e severe allergies and been there in all types of weather, I come out just fine !!! Nothing of it! That's why I Jose Reveles thinks this is ludicrous. I BEG of you to please help us get this mutually, worked out with common sense. PLEASE HELP US TO KEEP THE DUNES OPEN.

Sent from my iPhone