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Subject: ODSVRA Closures

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All,

The ODSVRA has been open for family camping and off-road enthusiasts for over half a century and they are one of the few remaining public areas to camp and off-road in CA. I personally grew up in Arroyo Grande and have enjoyed the ODSVRA for all of my 51 years on this earth.

The complaints against the dunes enthusiasts are not based on facts, but are a snap-shot in time targeted at benefiting a certain group of people. Are they looking at the big picture for what's best for everyone and the long term for the area, or are they just looking at what their self interests are today? Seems to be the latter. Perhaps instead of trying to close the dunes to family camping and off-road enthusiasts, why not work together and develop a plan that benefits all concerned?

I am a SLO county tax paying resident who enjoys the ODSVRA with my family, and I support the cause to keep it open and see it grow.

V/R

Steve Coffey