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Hinsdale County Pilot Program

10 messages

Richard

Thu, Feb 11, 2021 at 6:39 AM

To: dot_transp_comm@state.co.us

Dear Respected Official,

This comes as as an attempt to alert you to the dramatic negative impact of continuing the horrendous CDOT SR149 OHV Pilot Program.

This program has wreaked havoc on Hinsdale County, the Town of Lake City, the Alpine Loop and and the abundance of wilderness area in our county. The damage has and is being done and I literally beg you to read objective accounts of the damage done already and possibly postpone the continuance of the program until you can personally look at and assess the damage. The message you have received from our County and Town officials is a mockery of leadership in the face of the negative impacts. Sadly these officials have been driven by a small group of local business persons who directly profit from a deluge of OHV's and a turn towards a Motorsport monopoly on recreational guests.

As a hunter, fisherman and hiker I, like many others have seen the deterioration, experienced safety breeches and watched our County sales tax revenues decline along with real estate values.

Please do not approve the continuation of this program before an objective non-partisan survey by yourself or by an outside credible organization can be undertaken. The wilderness let alone the economic base is too crucial to destroy with a continued "let see what happens attitude". Thank you for your consideration.

Respectively submitted

16 year Hinsdale County resident

Sent from my iPad

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Thu, Feb 11, 2021 at 7:51 AM

To: Richard

Thank you for your comments. I have reviewed this email as well as the others you have sent us. I am finalizing the packet materials and your concerns have been noted and will be presented to the commission prior to the Commission meeting when they will be reviewing the pending program extension request from the city. You will be able to access all of the documents on our website: https://www.codot.gov/about/transportation-commission/meeting-agenda.html no less than 24 hours prior to the meeting on February 17. Thank you.

Kind Regards,

Jennifer Uebelher Transportation Commission Liaison Office of Policy and Government Relations

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To: "Uebelher - CDOT, Jennifer" <jennifer.uebelher@state.co.us>

Thu, Feb 11, 2021 at 8:34 AM

.....thank you so much for your efforts! These are serious issues and I really appreciate your most professional manner of seeing that they are at least being heard! Richard

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On Feb 11, 2021, at 9:51 AM, Uebelher - CDOT, Jennifer <jennifer.uebelher@state.co.us> wrote:

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