From:	McDonald, Ken
To:	Gunther, Kerry
Cc:	Fortin-Noreus, Jennifer; Tyers, Daniel - FS; dsaville@blm.gov; Tom Rice, MACO; dharrell@blm.gov; Delissa Minnick, BLM WY; Landenburger, Lisa A -FS
Subject:	Re: Fwd: Developed Site Standard
Date:	Friday, August 05, 2016 1:00:23 PM

My first impression is that this is a significant change to the fundamental approach of the CS and would jeopardize the delisting, especially with no cap on the number, size, or location of new developed sites. It is possibly an approach that could be worked on in the next few years but would need to have some quantifiable limits and better description of mitigation. As stated earlier, I think there may be some immediate wiggle room for added development in already major developed sites, but not in undeveloped sites I will get a call set up for next Thursday.

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On Aug 5, 2016 9:29 AM, "Gunther, Kerry" <kerry_gunther@nps.gov> wrote:

> Habitat sub-group, here is the language for the Developed Site Standard that I developed which would give the NPS the flexibility it needs to address significantly increasing visitation while still protecting bear habitat.
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> Kerry
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> ---------- Forwarded message ----------
> From: **White, P** <pj_white@nps.gov>
> Date: Thu, Aug 4, 2016 at 6:41 AM
> Subject: Fwd: Developed Site Standard
> To: Dan Wenk <dan_wenk@nps.gov>, Jennifer Carpenter <jennifer_carpenter@nps.gov>
> Cc: Kerry Gunther <kerry_gunther@nps.gov>
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> Attached is some language regarding the 1998 baseline for developed site standards that Kerry developed. Once you are OK with the language, Kerry can send it to GRTE, USFS, and USFWS. Thanks.
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> ---------- Forwarded message ----------
> From: **Gunther, Kerry** <kerry_gunther@nps.gov>
> Date: Wed, Aug 3, 2016 at 8:54 AM
> Subject: Developed Site Standard
> To: P White <pj_white@nps.gov>
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> PJ,
>
> Here is a quick first stab at it. I think it would fit our needs.
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> --
> Kerry Gunther

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