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Subject: Re: draft FEIS and ROD
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Thank you Craig!

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Also, just to be clear, the NOA moving through surname currently does not open a public comment period - it just notices the FEIS and the draft ROD:

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My understanding is that we do not have to accept comments on the FEIS and draft ROD during the 30-day waiting period, or at least specifically ask the public to provide comments in the NOA. Mexican wolf did specifically ask for comments on their FEIS and draft ROD, but many other of the Service's NOAs do not. Our tight timeline seems to reduce our ability to review or address any comments on any of the documents following that 30-day waiting period.

I of course defer to those with much greater NEPA expertise.

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Howdy all,

When we make our draft FEIS and ROD available to the public NLT than October 6 in the FR, will we be in a 30 day wait period or will we also be accepting comments during this time?

Thanks!

Adam