

Cape Cod, the enabling legislation of Cape Cod National Seashore in 1961 allowed for continued hunting activity within the boundaries of the Seashore. Animal rights groups have argued that environmental and social conditions in and around the Seashore have changed, and that hunting should be discontinued. Public meetings about this issue have been contentious, with the hunting community voicing strong opposition to changes in current hunting regulations within the Seashore. Given the polarity of the current debate, questions remain: Do area residents and visitors object to hunting in the Seashore, are they neutral about the issue, or do they consider it an appropriate and/or desirable use of the area? To what extent do residents and visitors feel threatened by hunting activities? How often do conflicts occur between hunters and non-hunters during the fall and winter hunting seasons? And what is the extent of hunting activity on the Seashore? This study is designed to better understand the scope of hunting activities at the Seashore, the degree of conflict that occurs over the practice,

and how people feel about hunting at the Seashore.

Automated data collection: At the present time, there is no automated way to gather this information because it includes directly contacting hunters, visitors to Cape Cod National Seashore, and residents in the six surrounding townships.

Description of respondents: Visitors to Cape Cod National Seashore and residents of the following townships on Cape Cod: Provincetown, Truro, Wellfleet, Eastham, Orleans, and Chatham.

Estimated average number of respondents: 2,900.

Estimated average number of responses: 2,900.

Estimated average burden hours per response: 20 minutes.

Frequency of Response: 1 time per respondent.

Estimated annual reporting burden: 929 hours.

Dated: November 17, 2004.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Continuation of Visitor Services

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Public notice.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the terms of existing concession contracts, public notice is hereby given that the National Park Service intends to request a continuation of visitor services for a period not-to-exceed 1 year from the date of contract expiration.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The contracts listed below have been extended to maximum allowable under 36 CFR 51.23. Under the provisions of current concession contracts and pending the completion of the public solicitation of a prospectus for a new concession contract, the National Park Service authorizes continuation of visitor services for a period not-to-exceed 1 year under the terms and conditions of the current contract as amended. The continuation of operations does not affect any rights with respect to selection for award of a new concession contract.

CONCID#	Concessioner name	Park
AMIS002	Forever Resorts, LLC	Amistad National Recreation Area.
AMIS003	Rough Canyon Marina	Amistad National Recreation Area.
BAND001	Bandelier Trading, Inc	Bandelier NM.
BRCA002	Bryce-Zion Trail Rides	Bryce Canyon NP.
CAVE001	Cavern Supply Company, Inc	Carlsbad Caverns NP.
CURE001	Elk Creek Marina	Curecanti National Recreation Area.
GLAC001	Glacier Park Boat Company, Inc	Glacier National Park.
GLAC003	Mule Shoe Outfitters, LLC	Glacier National Park.
GLAC006	Glacier Wilderness Guides	Glacier National Park.
GLAC010	Edward DesRosier (Sun Tours)	Glacier National Park.
GLCA001	Wilderness River Adventures	Glen Canyon National Recreation Area.
GLCA021	Banner Health, Page Hospital	Glen Canyon National Recreation Area.
GRCA004	Jerman-Mangum Enterprises, Inc	Grand Canyon NP.
GRCA005	Verkamps, Inc	Grand Canyon National Park.
GRTE003	Signal Mountain	Grand Canyon National Park.
LAMR002	Forever Resorts, LLC	Lake Meredith National Recreation Area.
MEVE001	ARAMARK	Mesa Verde National Park.
PAIS001	Forever Resorts, LLC	Padre Island National Seashore.
PEFO001	Xanterra Parks and Resorts	Petrified Forest National Park.
ROMO001	Forever Resorts, LLC	Rocky Mountain National Park.
TICA001	Carl and Betsy Wagner	Timpanogos Cave National Monument.
WHS001	White Sands Company, Inc	White Sands National Monument.
YELL077	Xanterra Parks and Resorts, Inc	Yellowstone National Park.

DATES: Effective Date: January 2, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jo A. Pendry, Concession Program Manager, National Park Service, Washington, DC 20240, Telephone, 202/513-7156.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Continuation of Visitor Services

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Public notice.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to 36 CFR 51.23, public notice is hereby given that the National Park Service proposes to extend the following expiring concession contracts for a period of up to one year, or until such time as a new contract is executed, whichever occurs sooner.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: All of the listed concession authorizations will expire by their terms on or before December 31, 2004. The National Park Service has determined that the proposed short-term extensions are necessary in order to avoid interruption of visitor services and has taken all reasonable and appropriate steps to consider alternatives to avoid such interruption. These extensions will allow the National Park Service to complete and issue prospectuses leading to the competitive selection of concessioners for new long-term concession contracts covering these operations.

Conc ID No.	Concessioner name	Park
DENA023-97	Doug Geeting Aviation	Denali National Park.
DENA024-97	Hudson Air Service	Denali National Park.
DENA025-97	K-2-Rustair	Denali National Park.
DENA027-97	McKinley Air Service	Denali National Park.
DENA028-97	James Trumbull, Inc.	Denali National Park.
DENA029-97	Talkeetna Air Taxi	Denali National Park.
WRST001-98	Daniel Schwarzer	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST002-98	Melvin Gillis	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST003-98	W. Kirk Ellis	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST004-98	W. Cole Ellis	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST005-98	Jeffrey Chadd	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST006-98	Robert Fithian	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST007-98	Mark Collins	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST009-98	Lorene Ellis	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST010-98	Matt Owen	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST011-98	Terry Overly	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST012-98	Urban Rahoi	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST013-98	Thomas Vaden	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST014-98	John Claus	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST015-98	Paul Claus	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST016-98	Richard G. Peterson	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.
WRST017-98	Chuck McMahan	Wrangell-St. Elias National Preserve.

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CACH001	White Dove, Inc.	Canyon de Chelly NM.
CANY001	Adventure Bound, Inc.	Canyonlands NP.
CANY002	Abercrombie and Kent American Adventures, LTD	Canyonlands NP.
CANY003	Navtec Expeditions	Canyonlands NP.
CANY004	Outward bound Wilderness, Inc. (Outward Bound West)	Canyonlands NP.
CANY005	Colorado River and Trails Expeditions, Inc.	Canyonlands NP.
CANY006	Don Hatch River Expeditions, Inc.	Canyonlands NP.
CANY007	Holiday River Expeditions, Inc.	Canyonlands NP.