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To Whom It May Concern,

I am studying the proposed fees on your website. I can see how the increases are needed and can even agree with the elimination of the annual passes.

I would suggest that you keep the day use fee for residents. That will keep the troublemakers from coming in to vandalize the park.

I would also like you to reconsider the dump fee for anyone who has been camping. I fear that the less responsible campers will simply dump water along the road or in the park rather than pay the 10.00 in addition to the increased utilities and camping fees. I agree that a dumping fee for anyone who not camped.

I don't like big increases, and think that being the second highest in the region is not the way to go. You may price New Mexico residents out of state parks. Maybe you could have NM resident camping fees and Out of State Camping fees, and give NM residents a price break.

Those are my thoughts.

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