## Subject: Re: [Fwd: [Fwd: McCarthy "Road-End"]]

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This is a reoccurring issue every year. I have been contacted by other residents in this area this year verifying the right of way width that DOT is claiming this year. I have passed on that nothing has changed, we are still claiming 100 feet each side of centerline and that Mr. Siren can not legally charge people to park in the highway right of way. Apparently, Mr. Siren is not running the hamburger shop this year (which is completely within the highway right of way) and is going to try and lease it out to someone else. We also have issues of propane tanks, water tanks, gas tanks, etc., within the mean high-water mark area.

National Park Service at the end of last season offered to assist us in Property Management by delivering any necessary letters to encroachers or to keep tabs for us as to what is happening. The residents of the area have been told that the highway right of way is there for short term parking such as unloading, going across the river doing your thing and coming back that day or so and leaving.

Mr. Siren apparently wants to try and have the public pay him a parking fee which if this is truly happening, is illegal.

We have had a taco stand move out of the highway right of way as well as a bike rental shop and a few T-shirt vendors.

We have a file on this in the Property Management file drawer under McCarthy Road. This file has numerous letters, inquires and photos that have taken place over the years.

If I can help further, please let me know.

Pat

Sig Strandberg wrote:

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> Pat:
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> Would you please look over the attached e-mail from Pete
> Sennhauser/McCarthy and tell me what you know about this situation.
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> Thx,
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> Sig
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> Subject: [Fwd: McCarthy "Road-End"]
> Date: Wed, 07 Jun 2000 11:09:34 -0800
> From: Karen Tilton <Karen_Tilton@dot.state.ak.us>
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> When I get back in the office Monday, I'll confer with you on some of
> the questions brought up in this email. I have contacted Mr. Sennhauser
> and told him it would be next week before we could get back to him.
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> K.Tilton
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