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Pumping and Ancillary operations and Communal Roost

2 messages

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Fri, Nov 27, 2020 at 11:08 AM

To: "Marette - DNR, Brandon" <brandon.marette@state.co.us>

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Brandon,

I am cognizant of this being vacation time and that the complaint we filed relative to the Middle Roost and pumping landed just before Thanksgiving. That being said, you know as well as I that wildlife does not abide by our vacation schedule, and we are seeing a big uptick suddenly in non-breeding bald eagles to the area. While likely non-breeders from local/regional natal origin have been around and using the roosts in smaller numbers since the beginning of October, it is likely that the wave of northern migrating eagles are now starting to make their way through our area.

Our peak counts since 2017 at the Middler Roost are from December 1 through December 15th, with counts as high as 23 on December 15, 2017. CPW and COGCC have that data.

This is in line with statistics on the RMA USFW roost data from FOIA that shows a mean day of peak observation on Jan 19th with 1 standard deviation of 21/6 days. A 95% confidence level would be 42.4 days before or after January 19th.

The 2 pumping engines operated by A and W Water is right at the margin of the mapped Middle roost trees. This is an ancillary operation supporting oil and gas and hydraulic fracturing at Dreamweaver. The operation either needs to be relocated out of any HPH buffers, or Crestone should truck their fracking water in to the site.

While we understand that a ruling on our COGCC complaint may take a bit of time to sort out, our request is that CPW be in expedient in its response to this matter.

We would appreciate hearing from CPW directly on this matter.

Thanks

Dana



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Sat, Nov 28, 2020 at 6:17 AM

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Dana, did we not already talk about this on the phone or are you looking for specific response to the complaint from us?

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