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HISTORY

Public access to Yellowstone National Park during the winter months has been a controversial topic since its establishment. There have been those who have desired to view the wonders of the park during even the harshest of winters, but traversing the park during the winter months has always been dangerous.

Skiing and snowshoeing were the most popular ways to get around Yellowstone National Park in the winter until the invention of the snowmobile in the 1960s. More visitors have come to the park with their snowmobiles causing the skiers and snowshoers to complain about the noise and air pollution from the snowmobiles. Over the years, Yellowstone National Park and the National Park Service have tried to create a balance between keeping the park open to visitors in the winter months and preserving the natural landscape.

Although there were previous plans for winter visitor use within Yellowstone National Park, a concentrated winter use program was not developed until about 1985, with the first winter use management plan being released in 1990.

1990 – The National Park Service issued the first winter use environmental assessment (EA) for Yellowstone National Park and Grand Teton National Park.

1997 – The National Park Service was sued by groups who believed the bison used the groomed roads to leave the park which then led to their slaughter. This caused the National Park Service to develop a new winter use environmental impact statement (EIS).

1999 – The draft environmental impact statement (DEIS) was released and the National Park Service received close to 46,000 public comment letters, phone calls, and e-mails.

2000 – The final environmental impact statement (FEIS) was released. It banned snowmobiles from Yellowstone National Park and instead converted all transportation within the park to snowcoaches only. A snowmobile group then files a lawsuit which challenged the ban.

2001 – The National Park Service settled the lawsuit with the snowmobile group by agreeing to prepare a supplemental environmental impact statement (SEIS).

2002 – The draft supplemental environmental impact statement (DSEIS) was released and the National Park Service received over 357,000 comments from the public.

2003-2004 – A final rule was published allowing 950 snowmobiles into the park daily provided they were guided through the park and that the snowmobiles met the Best Available Technology (BAT) standards. A Federal court decision voided all previous decisions so the National Park Service had to write a new environmental assessment (EA). This one allowed only 750 guided

Best Available Technology (BAT) snowmobiles into the park daily. This winter use plan received about 95,000 public responses.

2007 – The winter use environmental impact statement (EIS) was released. This one only allowed 540 guided Best Available Technology (BAT) snowmobiles into the park daily. The National Park Service received 122,000 public comments on this plan.

2008 – A Federal court decision cancelled the 2007 winter use plan. A modified version of the 2003-2004 plan was followed instead, but it allowed 720 guided Best Available Technology (BAT) snowmobiles into the park daily.

2009 – An interim winter use plan was in effect for two winter seasons. This plan allowed only 318 guided Best Available Technology (BAT) snowmobiles and 78 snowcoaches into the park daily.

2010 – The National Park Service began preparing the next long term winter use plan.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

WINTER USE RECORDS 1985-Present (bulk dates: 1999-2004)

CATALOG NUMBER	YELL 199066
VOLUME	157.5 LF
DESCRIPTION	This record group contains materials that relate to the development of a Winter Use Program for visitor recreation purposes within Yellowstone National Park during the winter seasons from 1985 to the present.
	This is an ongoing collection with more recent materials being added to it as those records become inactive.
	The Media Series consists of photographic slides relating to winter recreation in Yellowstone National Park from 1995 to 2000, VHS tapes of winter use promotional clips and interviews, and winter use plan presentation and work flow charts.
	Each of the Winter Use Plan Series generally contains the same three types of information, which are grouped together. The first is the administration group which contains draft and final winter use plans, internal reviews and comments, legal actions, and general correspondence. The second is the research group which consists of materials used in writing the winter use plan such as various air quality and noise pollution studies, wildlife management surveys, Best Available Technology (BAT) snowmobile studies, and winter use plans used by other national parks. The third is the public response group which contains newsletters, public meeting transcripts, and letters written by the public and sent to the National Park Service in response to the various drafts and winter use plans.

ORGANIZATION	Organized into six series: Series I, Media; Series II, 1990 Plan; Series III, 1997 Plan; Series IV, 2000 Plan; Series V, 2003 Plan; Series VI, 2007 Plan.
PROVENANCE	Records were created by the Yellowstone National Park's Natural Resources Division and the Special Management Assistant in the Superintendent's office.
RESTRICTIONS	YES
ASSOCIATED MATERIALS	Administration Records (A Series), Land and Recreation Records (L Series) Yellowstone National Park Combined Archives

HIERARCHY

I. Media

II. 1990 Plan, 1985-1990

III. 1997 Plan

IV. 2000 Plan

V. 2003 Plan

VI. 2007 Plan

SERIES DESCRIPTIONS

I. Media

The media formats within this series include photographic slides relating to winter recreation in Yellowstone National Park, hand-drawn pictorial presentation charts and laminated work flow charts used to show the process of creating a winter use plan, and VHS tapes of promotional clips and interviews relating to winter use in Yellowstone National Park and winter recreational equipment.

II. 1990 Plan, 1985-1990

Within this series are the Winter Use Program's administrative records, the 1990 Winter Use Plan, the wildlife impact studies and park visitation reports used in the research process for the plan, and the public comment letters received during the plan's review period.

III. 1997 Plan

This series contains the Winter Use Program's administrative records, budget information, drafts of the Winter Visitor Use Management and Environmental Impact Statements for Bison Management plans, and the 1997 Temporary Road Closure Environmental Assessment Plan. There are marketing studies, snowmobile accident reports, and snowmobile operations surveys used in the research process for the various drafts and plans. The public comment letters in this series were received during each of the plans' review periods. Some materials relating to the lawsuits filed against the National Park Service are also included in this series because they pertain to the 1997 Plans even though they were filed after the plans were implemented.

IV. 2000 Plan

The contents of this series include the Winter Use Program's administrative records, draft and final 2000 Environmental Impact Statements, and budget information. There are multiple economic impact reports, air and water quality surveys, and wildlife studies used as research materials for the 2000 Winter Use Plan. Because of the controversial nature of this Winter Use Plan there were more public comment letters received during this plan's review period than for the previous plans. More lawsuits were also filed against the National Park Service with some documents being restricted because of Attorney-Client privilege.

V. 2003 Plan

This series contains the Winter Use Program's administrative records, budget information, and the Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement. There are air quality and noise pollution reports, snowmobile emissions studies, wildlife management assessments, tourism marketing plans, and winter visitation surveys used as research materials for the 2003 Winter Use Plan. The controversy surrounding this plan created a lot of public response in the form of letters and e-mails. More lawsuits were also filed against the National Park Service, including the Fund for Animals lawsuit, with some documents being restricted because of Attorney-Client privilege.

VI. 2007 Plan

Within this series are the Winter Use Program's administrative records, budget information, and the 2007 Winter Use Plans. There are Best Available Technology (BAT) and snowmobile impact studies, avalanche hazard assessments, air quality and noise pollution reports, tourism marketing plans, and visitor surveys used as research materials for the 2007 Winter Use Plan. The public response to the controversy surrounding this plan generated many letters, form letters, and e-mails. The Winter Use Program kept a sampling of the responses and transferred all of the comments to a digital database. More lawsuits were also filed against the National Park Service with some documents being restricted because of Attorney-Client privilege.

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