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To: RE: [EXTERNAL] Question re:2025 Reservations
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Good morning Susan,

We are still taking comments and questions for our rule change and will continue to do so until October 22, 2024. Our plan is to honor existing reservations made prior to any rule changes. When a customer reserves a site, they pay for the site in full and we will not be charging additional fees after the fact.

Regarding ACPs, all annual passes sold prior to our changes going into effect will be honored until their expiration date. Our Annual Camping Pass covers the base cost of developed camping, so regardless of what the cost of developed camping is set at, the pass will still cover that charge. The pass holder will still be responsible for paying utility fees. We are planning to move pass sales to match the calendar year. For 2025 we will be pro-rating our annual camping passes to allow individuals whose current passes expire mid-year to purchase a pass only for the remaining months of the year. After the initial year, in 2026 all passes will be based on calendar year.

Please let me know if you have any further questions.

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Hi,

I'm not sure if you're still taking questions with regards to the upcoming proposed camping fee changes, but I thought it was worth a try, so here goes...

My question concerns what happens to existing reservations made for 2025 prior to the fee changes going into effect (assuming they do of course). Will the current rate of \$14/night for an electric site still be honored?

Also, my current ACP doesn't expire until March, 2025, but it appears they are moving to a calendar year basis. I assume this means I'll need to purchase a new ACP in 2025 prior to making reservations, but what happens if I use my current ACP to make a 2025 reservation now? Will the reservation be honored at today's rates?

Example: If I make a reservation today to stay at Elephant Butte in January, 2025, using my existing ACP that is good through 3/2025, will the reservation stand as-is at \$4/night?

Thank you in advance,

Susan Glynn