

Greetings,

My name is Joe Kirscht and I have owned my property/cabin on the end of East Yellow River Road since 1994. During this timeframe, I have been the president of the East Yellow River Road Landowners association two times. As of two weeks ago, I am now a full time resident. One of the main concerns that I have had through the years is the destruction of our private roads due to ATV's and dirt bikes as well as trespassing. The cul-de-sac seems to be a magnet to those who wish to whip circles in the gravel. This has increased significantly since the expansion of DeFour's Campground in 2020. I've stopped people on the roads time and time again to advise them against destruction. Sometimes it is friends or kids from within our own development, but 9 times out of 10, it is someone from DeFour's campground. Even more troubling is that some of these ATV's actually drive down my driveway, then circle back out. Our road is clearly posted with "Private Property, No Trespassing" signs, but these are simply ignored.

Another concern I have is the increase in those that violate the no wake zone. I've chased down several to inform them of the rules, often met with hostility. Again, the majority of these violators that I have personally chased down are people who rent from the campground and don't care about destruction to the shoreline.

This trend HAS TO STOP. PERIOD. In today's environment, and with the attitudes of some, it's not necessarily safe to stop and question those on our roads.

I support the action that the EYRRLA association is taking to stop the destruction and trespassing.

Respectfully Submitted,

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