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Hi Jesse,

Thanks for sharing the survey information and results. I only have one minor concern and that is related to the eastern rookery. Turnstone observed active nesting in the eastern rookery in 2022 during the first three consecutive visits, while those nests were not successful, the rookery itself would still be considered active for that year. Within the Forest Practices Act, a rookery is deemed abandoned only after three consecutive years of surveys with no nesting. It is good that the applicant plans to provide protection to this site and some sort of buffering, but an additional survey effort to show the rookery is not being used may be needed. Turnstone can consult with ODF to see if they concur.

Feel free to reach out if you have any questions.

Cheers,

Joe

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Good afternoon Joe,

Second email with addendum to applicant's Habitat Assessment.



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