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Minnesota Seasonal Recreational Property Owners

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Greetings Federal Use Permit Holders:

As you know, MSRPO has been working with the National Forest Home Owners Association to try to get a handle on the CUFFA implementation and the property taxes Minnesota (unjustly) charges on these cabins.

There has been some local press on the issue. In addition, *USA Today* ran a great article on the issue a short time ago. [Click here to read it.](#)

I recently got a request from Barry Davis, who is working on this issue, and I wanted to pass it along to you all:

Dear cabin owners, family and friends,

The Cabin Coalition 2 and the National Forest Homeowners are trying to find lease rates for cabin properties similar to those of the Recreation Residence Program. Examples are state, county, and city lands leased for private cabins; lands leased by utility companies, such as PG&E in California, or lands leased by private individuals, such as ranchers.

We believe our best sources for this information are people holding such leases and land owners or their employees. An example might be an employee of the Lands Department in Idaho or a cabin owner on leased private land. If you or someone you know might be helpful in our quest for this information, we would sure appreciate the help. If you know someone that might have this information and be able to help us, please send us their contact information or have them contact us.

We are looking for information in addition to the lease rates and can discuss this once we are contacted.

The information is valuable for several reasons. It helps illustrate the current failures of CUFFA. It supports potential negotiations of our current fee proposal. It informs discussions with Congress, with appealing our current fee billings and in possible litigation.

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volunteer cabin owners working with Cabin Coalition 2. Thanks for any help you can give us.

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[Here is the survey](#) that Barry sent to me. Please do take a moment to fill it out and return it to me. I will make sure that Barry gets them.

Thanks for your help with this - and Happy Hanukah and Merry Christmas.

Sincerely,



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