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It is reasonable to raise rates to cover costs. It is NOT fair to make park fee increases an additional revenue source for the State. Make increases revenue neutral!

The proposed fee for using the dump station should be included as part of the camping fee. I suspect this would be difficult/costly to implement and a hassle for campers to deal with when needed.

A camping fee of \$20.00 + \$10 for utilities is a big increase over the current rate of \$14. I propose a maximum of \$20 a night for a site with electric and water.

Is the proposal designed to ENCOURAGE residents to enjoy NM State Parks or KEEP THEM AWAY with high prices?

Please reconsider the proposed rates.

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