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Subject: RE: Revised Purpose and Need for the Farallones EIS
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Hi there

Here are my comments on the Purpose and Need Section. I think it looks good overall and don't have too many comments. The big thing is replacing the mouse/owl/ASSP figure that's in there with something that has some real data in it. The attached image can serve as an initial template, which will need revision. The key is to show quantitative data on the seasonal cycle in ASSP predation by owls, Owl abundance, and mouse abundance. For owl predation the 2 extra black dots can be confusing, they highlight the high level of owl predation seen in 2010 and 2011. That may not be needed in the final.

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Hi Gerry and Russ,

Attached is the revised Purpose and Need section for the Farallones EIS. There are a couple of outstanding issues that need to be resolved, including consensus on the Purpose Statement at the beginning of the document. Can you please send comments or revisions to me by Friday April 13th?
Thank you,

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