Dear Torene,

I'm submitting a 91-a for all documents in the possession of DNCR responsive to the "latest research" presented at the forest conference attended by Phil Bryce, mentioned in this paragraph from a 2018 article:

Bryce reported that further work on carrying capacity studies for both Mount Washington and Mount Monadnock in southwest New Hampshire hasn't gone forward. Time instead has been spent trying to reduce roadside parking on I-93 in Franconia Notch. He was updated on the latest research while attending a forestry conference, however. It's important, Bryce said, for natural resource professionals not to project their own value systems and feelings of being overwhelmed by overcrowded conditions. Research indicates that many visitors are not bothered by crowds as long as there are sufficient bathrooms that clean and well-maintained. The University of New Hampshire still plans to work on these studies.

https://www.conwaydailysun.com/berlin_sun/news/local/parks-director-set-to-resolve-summit-parking-issues/article_fd84b78c-e09b-11e8-8031-9f3b4b8a5821.html

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