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Dear David,

I am planning a trip to Taylor Ranch Wednesday, Sept. 11, in the AM., returning on Thursday, Sept. 12, in the AM. I will have Mr. Jaarko Saarinen with me, Director of the Finnish Wilderness Research Institute, and Alan Watson. I'm sorry to make it such a short trip, but my schedule is very compressed by my sabbatical and its too ambitious research agenda.

Please think about agenda items for us to discuss. Here are some of mine:

- Taylor Ranch Operating Budget: I will have numbers --lets go over projections of expenditures. We should develop a firm plan thru 6/30/97.
- Taylor Ranch Educational Plan: I met this week with Carol Spain and outlined financial parameters for courses. Think about a course or course modules you would like to teach. I am tentatively planning for your involvement in the New Student Orientation utilizing wilderness experience next August.
- Thanksgiving Plans: Make presentations in Moscow soliciting Taylor Ranch Intern applications. Lets make firm plans.
- More orientation for leading wilderness experience programs.
- Look at Pioneer Creek Trail: A good hike with Jaarko and Alan?.
- Proposal for student crew projects next spring break..
- Other topics you suggest or that I think of.

I look forward to seeing you Wednesday, Sept. 11.

Sincerely,

Dr. John C. Hendee
Director and Professor
Wilderness Research Center

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P.S. Dave, since I drafted this letter last Friday, I have received your letter.