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OIK-10867 - CHANGES IN FOLIAR CHEMISTRY AND NUTRIENT RESORPTION IN NORTHERN
HARDWOOD FORESTS IN RESPONSE TO LONG-TERM EXPERIMENTAL NITROGEN AND
PHOSPHORUS ADDITION

Dear Dr. Yanai,

I hope this message finds you well. I'm writing regarding your manuscript submitted to Oikos. Despite our efforts, we have invited over 20 reviewers but have not yet been able to secure a single one willing to review your work. This situation is quite unusual for Oikos, as we typically secure reviewers within the first 3 to 4 invitations.

At this point, we would greatly appreciate your assistance. Could you please provide a list of 10 to 15 potential reviewers (and their emails) with expertise in the subject area of your manuscript? Kindly send this list to both me and the Subject Editor, Dr. Richard Michael (cc'd here).

Your help in this matter would be invaluable. Thank you for your understanding and assistance.

Sincerely,

Dr. Pedro Peres-Neto
Editor-in-Chief of Oikos

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Hello Dr. Peres-Neto,

Here is a list of potential reviewers. We hope this helps.

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On 2024-09-09, 21:07, "Oikos" <onbehalf@manuscriptcentral.com>
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Hello Asa,

We submitted our paper 3 months ago, on May 3, 2024. Should we be concerned that it is still listed as “under review”?

Please let us know if we can help in any way. Recently, a paper we wrote for another journal was delayed for months for lack of reviewers. We supplied more suggestions, and it finally got the needed reviews.

We look forward to your response.

Best,
Mary Hagemann (on behalf of Ruth Yanai)

From: OIKOSOFFICE - OIKOS <oikos@oikosoffice.lu.se>
Subject: Re: Oikos - message regarding manuscript OIK-10867
Date: September 11, 2024 at 4:47:39 PM EDT
To: "rdyanai@syr.edu" <rdyanai@syr.edu>
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Dear Mary,

Thank you for your email. Indeed, we have struggled immensely to find reviewers! After 36 declined invitations, we have two reviewers who have agreed to go through your manuscript. Their reports should be due by the end of the month (if there are no further delays on their side). I will keep my fingers crossed!

All the best,

Monica Gabell
Editorial Assistant