

September 16, 2015

To: Elaine Korhman

U.S .Forest Service

Albuquerque, New Mexico

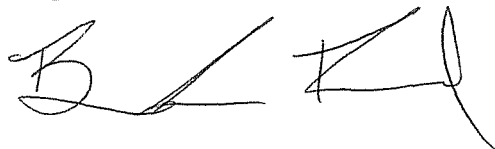
There are already enough Wilderness Areas designated in New Mexico. The Cibola National Forest has many of the same species common to other forests in the region. Please do not recommend any of the areas in the Zuni Mountains for a "Wilderness". The people in the area have been taking care of the forest because they are allowed to go in there by vehicle and enjoy it. They have been taking care of it.

If those who need access with a vehicle are kept out by "Wilderness" designation; then, that is discrimination and that is not fair.

The D2 5K6 polygon should be removed from the wilderness consideration list because there was human activity in that area and evidence of logging in this area. They also worked here on cattle ranches. Please take the D2 5K6 plot off of the list for wilderness area consideration.

Sincerely,

Brandon Rael

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "BR" followed by a stylized flourish.