



Cibola National Forest Mountain Ranger Districts
Desired Conditions and Management Area Comment Form



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Subject of Comment:

Comment: I am a member of ;
Great Old Broads for Wilderness.

D35K16 Panther Canyon hike on May 9, 2014 has incredible chances for solitude, having no signage, or trails, needing GPS to find our way. There were multitude chances for views and very few noticeable if any, improvement, or effects from the public. The top of the ridge had tree stumps and seemed from a long time ago, but created a open view of the forest; we found one old tin water container from the 20's or 30's we left. There was a old two track road with large saplings growing in it. We saw lots of animal scat, cats, bear mostly. We had to use G.P.S. to find our way out. It was very beautiful.

D35K3 6 mile canyon - Ryan Hill View hike May 10, 2014 - walked past old mining area. Not in use today, lots of old pipes. I found it interesting never having seen that before. We hiked up to Ryan Hill great view. Noticeable trail & down in the six mile canyon. There was another trail and we thought the area wild, and saw no signs of other people. It was so beautiful there. large pine trees

We saw tall grasses, a stream^{bed}, I found antlers. We thought it looked over grazed by the stream bed in the canyon. Great solitude, I appreciated the wild feel in both of these areas.