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ATTN:

James Duran

Forest Supervisor

USDA-Forest Service Southwest Region

Objection Reviewing Officer

333 Broadway Blvd SE

Albuquerque, NM 87102

Dear Mr. Duran:

In response to the recent release of the proposed Carson National Forest Plan, Rio Arriba County has been working diligently with our constituents to amplify the voice of our community. In the following document, we have compiled a record of objections for the consideration of revision for the forest plan.

We, as a county, believe that it is imperative to the continuity of our heritage to object to policy that obstructs the peoples' relationship with our lands. We believe the Carson National Forest Plan will be a disruptor to our economy, our communities, and our culture.

We appreciate your consideration of the following submittal, as the future of the Carson National Forest is instrumental in the livelihood of generations to come.

Respectfully,

Lucía F. Sánchez