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Comments: We are sending this comment in support of closing this illegal shooting area located just off of County Road 78 in Teller County. This area is very close in proximity to us residents along this road. I have attached pictures of "no target shooting" that exist further north on Highway 67 near the entrance of the residential area known as Ridgewood. The photo labeled Camp Elim attached to this comment states that no target shooting is allowed within 1/2 mile on County Road 78. How is it that the non tax paying church camp gets more protection than tax paying county residents. Living in this area since 1989 we have experienced not only target shooting which includes exploding targets but wildfires as well. Forest Service 341 has no purpose whatsoever except for allowing access for bad actors for shooting, off roading, trash dumping. Close it down. How many more tax dollars are going to be wasted by the Forest Service continually trying to repair the damage? Recreational uses can be accessed from Forest Service 357.