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Comments: PUBLIC COMMENTS - PLACITAS MEETING

Hello

Attached please find the Public Comments from the Placitas Meeting on July 22nd.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call or email me.

Thank you!

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This text has been extracted from the attachment by the Forest Service personnel on behalf of the commenter.

THE FOREST SERVICE SHOULD CONSIDER FENCING ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORIC SITES IN SANDIA WILDERNESS AREA BECAUSE THE AREA IS REMOTE AND IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT TO MONITOR THE SITES FOR DAMAGE.

BICYCLES SHOULD BE CONFINED TO DESIGNATED TRAILS; WHEN THEY GO OFF TRAIL, BIKES CAUSE SERIOUS EROSION.

THIS PLACITAS RESIDENT DOES NOT WANT ANY FS LAND ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE SANDIAS TO BE DESIGNATED AS WILDERNESS. SHE WANTS TO CONTINUE TO RIDE HER MOUNTAIN BIKE FROM PLACITAS WESTWARD ACROSS FS LAND TO THE BERNALILLO WATERSHED LOOP ROAD. THIS WOULD NOT BE POSSIBLE IF THE LAND WAS TO BECOME WILDERNESS.