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Comments: I do not agree with ANY proposals to make any public land trails designated as "non motorized" unless they are truly in already designated wilderness areas. I am an avid off-road motorcyclist but also ride mountain bikes. I have contributed hours of voluntary time to help build trails which can be shared and used by EVERYONE. Why is it that organized mountain bike groups can "push" to have this done only so certain users get to benefit? OHV users are the only ones who pay fee's which are then used to build and maintain trails. If you continue to take these areas and/or shut down our use of these trails, I suspect less and less OHV users will be buying the permits. Also, many hunters use OHV's to help recover their game animals both resident and non resident. Groups who try to shut out other users are getting out of hand. I am a member of WESTCORE (Western Colorado Riders & Enthusiasts) and we are growing this non profit to fight back against this nonsense.