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Comments: I am writing to support the possible wilderness designation for what is referred to as Granite Basin near Crested Butte South. I have hiked the trail into the drainage separating Cement Mountain and Round mountain and find this an area still unaffected by the press of motorized travel. It offers a special experience worth protecting for the future. I have lived in the Crested Butte area for over 20 years and realize the intense pressure on our adjoining National Forest lands. If protected by wilderness designation this will be a valuable treasure for the local economy and will insure a buffer to the increased pressure of development that has come to the Slate River valley. Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this proposal. Neil Windsor