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Comments: Alternative 2 is considered the favorable alternative at this point.

There is an excessive amount of motorized travel and in my opinion far too many ATV/UTV's abuse designated roads as well as a safe travel speed for others.

I would want to see a much greater curtailment of motorized travel with much greater boundaries separating those motorized routes from sensitive areas. If that means the motorized routes have to be entirely eliminated in some instances to protect these sensitive areas from intrusion then that should be done. If access to hunting is impaired for older/disabled/youth, I would suggest an early draw and season for those that meet proper guidelines. If you can't retrieve an animal that you have legally harvested, then you probably are hunting beyond a reasonable distance for a successful retrieval. I used to hunt GMU 4A many years ago, however, the abuse of UTV's and the hunting population explosion pushed me to hunting GMU 10 (Boquillas Ranch) for a quality hunt that does not allow the use of UTV's during the hunt.

Summary - 1) close more roads 2) Charge more for OHV tags 3) put restrictions on UTV use during selected hunts to ensure a great hunting experience 4) Create another category of hunts for hunters that have limitations 5) Charge more hunting permits