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Comments: My husband and I strongly support the Rico Trails Project proposal. We have hiked in this area for many years and would like to continue. As we grow older we will need trails that are a little easier than what we are used to. The proposed Rio Grande Southern trail would be something a little more family and active adult friendly. The Ryman/Salt Creek trail improvement and connection would also be a welcome addition. We support that these trails be kept non-motorized. In the fifty years I have hiked in this area I have never seen more rapid deterioration of trails than when they have been allowed to be motorized. I understand the need for some trails to be motorized but let's keep them separate for those of us who enjoy healthy exercise and the quiet and beauty of the mountains.