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Comments: Dear USFS:

I would like to express a comment in favor of the prairie dog populations in the Thunder Basin National Grasslands. I think these animals need more protections, not less. I would like to see a dramatic decrease in domesticated animal populations; specifically cattle. Cattle are significantly more destructive to the environment then prairie dogs. Furthermore, the endangered black footed ferret populations require healthy prairie dog populations to thrive. Therefore, though I am not in favor of any of the alternative as they do not provide sufficient protections, alternative 4 is the least damaging option.

Sincerely,

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