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Comments: As a taxpayer who has had to make up the balance of the real cost of the grazing allotment program - I fail to comprehend WHY this industry continuously requires my help in supporting their business! Allowing this industry the ability to make decisions as to what wild native animal is allowed to survive on our public & forest lands - OUR public & forest lands - is beyond me.

We NEED prairie dogs and black footed ferrets - NATIVE animals! We do NOT need domestic cattle - which are NOT native to this country - on public lands - livestock that has already destroyed riparian areas - wiped out native grasses & brush & pretty much devastated the environment of far too many native species already.

If the livestock industry cannot coexist with native wildlife on the Thunder Basin, all livestock must be removed, and replaced with free-roaming bison.

The Black-Footed Ferret Reintroduction Area must be fully restored and protected to support ferret reintroduction on the Thunder Basin.

Our National Forests have been decimated already with timber removal. Allowing grazing by non-native livestock is the final blow.

Time to re-address the grazing allotment program. Past time!