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Comments: I am a retired Equine Vet Tech and from past experience have noted that the those who report the numbers of wild horses to over exaggerate the numbers so as they can eliminate the majority of the wild herds still in existence. I am sure that they are working with the local cattle ranches to eliminate the herds so that there will be more grazing land for the cattle. The wild horse is a natural resource and should be respected as such. I feel that there is plenty of land in the area where the Heber Wild Horses reside to support the present number as well as a normal expansion of the herd. Any studies into the correct way to monitor and manage the herds of wild horses should be done by persons that cannot gain from making judgement as to the future needs of the herds.