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Comments: I have lived in Show Low for 9 years. I often travel to Phoenix via 260 and look forward to seeing the Heber/Overguard horses. I am sickened by hearing that many of the horses have been shot with no suspects apprehended. I do not believe that investigations into the shootings have been done carefully by the forest service. The remaining horses are in good condition and should be allowed to continue to live where they are. To cull the herd is unnecessary and cruel. They have the right to live and be left alone. Please do not remove any of the wild horses. They represent a part of our American heritage.