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Comments: The Heber Wild Horse Territory management plan does not adequately protect the horses. The Forest Service (FS) cannot just make up a number of horses that make the area "manageable." There needs to be scientific proof. Horses CANNOT be legally removed until the science backs the numbers projected. I, for one, find it objectionable that cattle are grazing on public land, subsidized by my tax dollars. Horses should be able to move from the Heber area to adjacent US Forest Service land, (the Black Mesa Ranger District,) since they have been there prior to 1971.

Wild horses are our heritage and they have the right to public lands. Cattle are owned by ranchers and sold for profit. It's a business in which I do not wish to invest my tax dollars, and it's inappropriate that this is even on the table.

I'm not sure about the PZP, but definitely do not approve of any surgical attempts at horse birth control.