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Comments: I believe that wild Horse population around the Heber in the Apache -sitgreaves Forest has gotten out of control and that they need to be removed. Growing up in Heber in the 80s and 90s and enjoying the outdoors through hunting and fishing we would rarely see wild horses and when we did it was exciting but fast forward many years later and the wild horse population is too large and is hurting the wildlife in the area. Horses never stop eating and graze all day long so not only are they hurting the forage for wildlife they are protective of the water holes and don't allow wild life to use them. Most of these horses are not wild horses they were once someone's pet and when the recession hit they couldn't afford to feed them and they were dropped off in the woods because they couldn't sell them. I'm in favor of removing the horses.