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Comments: The Heber wild horses are an integral part of the ecosystem. The most accurate scientific evidence proves that horses should be protected as a native species. These equines promote balance in the food chain. Removals will jeopardize the long term viability of the Heber herd. These horses are harming no one. Their native habits are naturally good for the environment. Citizens testify that Heber wild horses herd numbers are being exaggerated by officials. Removal is totally unnecessary. I urge you to please do all you can to preserve this valuable herd of wild horses instead of placing them in jeopardy by unwarranted removals. In the meantime, Heber wild horses are being shot and killed. Please work with law enforcement and local citizens to catch the culprits as a matter of urgency. Thank you for taking my comments in serious consideration.