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Comments: There are plenty of wild horses next door in Murderers Creek. Ochocos do not need wild horses. If you are forced to have them, which is ridiculous, then keeping it to as few as possible. They compete with native wildlife and they really destroy waterways by denuding the riparian areas. Also just the general cost to deal with them when they inevitably overpopulate. You can not give the things away when you do a roundup. Since they are protected their populations are always on the increase. The annual costs, as you well know, is astronomical to keep in the feed lots. Get rid of the wild horses in the Ochoco unit. My opinion on the matter as someone who actively uses the forest approximately 9 months a year.