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Comments: I am writing to oppose the assessment made in the Draft Environmental Assessment (EA) for a new development within the riparian area of South Fork, Cave Creek Canyon. I believe that this large development will irreparably damage this pristine habitat for numerous rare and endangered species of birds,including Elegant Trogon, recent Eared Quetzal, Montezuma Quail, Whiskered Screech-Owl, Mexican Spotted Owl, Peregrine Falcon, Zone-tailed Hawk, and the Sulphur-bellied Flycatcher. This undisturbed habitat and its water features should not be bulldozed and fragmented when so many public use areas are nearby.

I recommend "No Action".

Thank you for your consideration