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Comments: I have lived in the Washington Camp area for 13 years choosing my location because of the peace and quiet (round the clock) except for nature sounds and its creatures. Driving an hour or more ea. one way to Patagonia or to Nogales there has been a myriad of many different kinds of animals:4-legged, 2-legged & amp; winged ones crossing the roads or flying overhead. This has almost completely stopped, especially on Harshaw Rd except for a deer here and there unknown to the area searching for a way to get beyond all the fencing that has cut off this previously biodiversified natural area affecting all on the planetary scale.

I am very concerned about any mining sounds traveling through this area plus the traffic on the roads plus the condition of the water in everyone's wells.

For the people who actually live here if one would ask the question: Would you like the mining interests in this area to leave and never come back, the answer would be YES! (For many, being able to make money, locally, is a relief; however, a little further down the road I am sure they will wish to have made a different choice. We live our lives every day not just for the day but for our futures and the future of our planet.

Thank

you paying attention and I apologize for being so wordy. May you live a blessing filled life!