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Comments: I am opposed to the new road construction in Horseshoe and John Long canyons due to adverse impacts on wildlife and plants with the additional ORV traffic the new roads will invite.

John Long canyon is home to several endangered and sensitive species and the road within was closed thru the 2017 Travel Management Process. Re-opening this closed road would require additional analysis to justify this action.

Horseshoe canyon is already served by a usable road. The purpose and expense for a new road has not been adequately justified and its creation is completely unnecessary. The proposed road will cause erosion from traversing a steep hillside and create noise with the additional ORV traffic to this remote, scenic canyon that ends at a wilderness boundary.