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Comments: I agree with the plan to have designated shooting sites. I volunteer to clean up the Mt Baldy trail system with the CSC4W club, and the amount of trash being left by the public is outrageous. I am a gun owner and enjoy shooting myself, but I believe the public has lost the right for dispersed shooting on forest lands because of their lack of respect and an unwillingness to be responsible. They don't pick up their trash, they shoot signs and trees and overall just disrespect everyone and everything. I've also seen unsafe behavior from shooters not following standard safety rules like shooting downhill without a backstop. I don't trust the shooters and feel like it's a dangerous situation if folks can shoot anywhere they like. Designated shooting sites will hopefully make a safer experience for all, and hopefully folks will learn to take their trash and debris home and not leave it in the forest for someone else to pick up.