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Comments: I strongly oppose the mountain coaster project for the following reasons: the project will generate additional traffic, trash, and NOISE POLLUTION in Albuquerque's closest wilderness area. The coaster will greatly reduce the enjoyment of hiking in our beautiful wilderness area when in earshot of the coaster. The project ensures that the wilderness area will continue to be fragmented into 2 sections rather working towards reunification of our wilderness area sections. The coaster is geared towards generating monies from tourists rather than developing a lower-impact project that locals will enjoy and use repeatedly and often. The mountain coaster will reduce the use of the already existing ski area by 2 runs.

Stop the mountain coaster project.

Develop trails and mountain biking projects that have low environmental impact and that local New Mexicans would greatly enjoy.

Think beyond the fiscal gains the Abruzzo family will make and focus on the devastating environmental impact the mountain coaster will have.

This is Albuquerque's closest wilderness area. Keep it wild and reunite our divided wilderness areas