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Comments: The plan sets the AML extremely low at just 50-104 wild horses on 19,700 acres. Even at high AML, that's one horse for every 394 acres. This range is far too low to maintain a self-sustaining, genetically viable population of wild horses in the Territory.

With the new AML, at low AML, wild horses are provided just 600 Animal Unit Months while cattle are permitted 5,730 Animal Unit Months to graze within the Territory. The Forest Service must adjust livestock use in the Territory in order to give wild horses their fair share of the resource

Finally, the Heber wild horses have been the target of illegal hunting since 2018. The Forest Service must protect these federally protected wild horses from harm and find the person(s) responsible.