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Comments: AML ranges are determined so that there is sufficient time between gathers to allow for the population to grow to the gather trigger point (high end of AML). Since these are typically determined based on gather-removal only scenarios, but this FS will implement fertility control, the low AML can be adapted upwards because of a slowed population growth rate.

We appreciate a plan which is centered around proven, safe and humane fertility control vaccines, especially, and a general focus on non-permanent population control methods. These are the modalities that garner the most public support. Because of the longer term research and use behind PZP and PZP-22, it is in the Forest Service's best interest to use these well-proven immuno-contraceptive vaccines as often as possible.