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Comments: As a life-long resident of Arizona, I love wildlife spotting in our beautiful state. Regarding the management of the wild horses near Heber, AZ, I hope that the forest service will look to the success of the Salt River herd. The horse population has started to regulate with the use of PZP birth control rather than auctioning off horses to unknown destinations. There are several studies that demonstrate that large grazing animals actually lead to healthier forests, as they both trample and eat grasses that allow wildfires to spread as well as naturally fertilize the soil. I look forward to hearing about a resolution that allows us to coexist peacefully with our wildlife.