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Comments: I am completely opposed to the upcoming DRASTIC removal and/or sterilization of the Wild Horse in the Heber Territory.

I have many reasons for opposing this removal but especially setting the "Appropriate" Management Level (AML) to an unnatural low number -- just 50-104 wild horses on 19,700 acres. Even at high AML, that's one horse for every 394 acres! This number is far too low to maintain a genetically viable population of wild horses in the Territory. This result will be the roundup of hundreds of wild horses in northern Arizona, from Forest Lakes all the way to Showlow.

Please consider a more humane management plan.