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Comments: We should have a strong appreciation and therefore stewardship for the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest, and specifically the Black Canyon area of the Black Mesa Ranger District because the Heber wild horses live in that area.

The following issues must be addressed in the WHT Plan #18916:

**Establishing AML Equitable with Livestock Forage Allocation in and Around the WHT

**Protecting Wild Horse Natural Behaviors

**Implementing Humane Management and Humane Fertility Control

**Addressing Fencing Issues Interfering with Natural Horse Movements

**Correcting WHT Boundary Errors

**Conducting Current Census

None of the items are without sound Wild horse and land management practices backed by science, real-life experience and humane treatment of wild animals and protection of our country's lands. Please do everything in your power to see that the future of the Heber Wild Horses is protected for generations to come of the sake of both people and horses.

Thank you-
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