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Comments: I would respectfully request that Forest Service perform an Environmental Impact Study, which has never been done, regarding the Wild Horses. An E.I.S. must be performed before moving ahead with any management plan, how can you justify removing horses when they are a small part of the multi-use forest. I also would request an impact study on the cattle that graze on our public lands. That being said, why do We the People not have a say on what grazes on "public lands". How can you make an educated decision without performing an Environmental Impact Study? I would propose that the Cattle leases are removed from the "Wild Horse Territory" and the round up is on hold until a proper count is completed to declare an accurate number of the HWH population There is no scientific basis behind this ill-advised strategy of removing horses from their rightfully deserved home, protected by The Wild and Free Roaming Horses and Burros Act of 1971. There is no evidence of overpopulation, and studies have in fact shown that these horses actually self-regulate.

The use of PZP is unconscionable, just look at facts regarding the use of this pesticide, please use due diligence when considering use of using this product, which I object to, it is not safe or reasonable. One only needs to look at research and the damage PZP has done. It is inhumane to even think of using it.

I appreciate the right to express my opinions regarding the HWH and request that your department consider my request as stated.

Thank you,

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