Data Submitted (UTC 11): 9/29/2021 4:09:02 PM First name: Heather Last name: Stockton Organization: Title: Comments: Thank you for the opportunity to comment on your Draft Revised Forest Plan.

The Manti-La Sal is so important to so many for a variety of reasons, and in light of increasing pressures the forest faces from a hotter, drier Colorado Plateau, the revised Forest Plan must consider climate change; conservation of wildlands, water, native plants, and wildlife; increased Indigenous influence, and better responsiveness to the public.

All of these needs can be met by the Conservation Alternative, and it must be analyzed in its full and complete form in the upcoming Draft Environmental Impact Statement.

Additionally, it's important to me that we work to preserve, protect, monitor and restore healthy forests in this area. Especially when it comes to fire mitigation and long term preservation. An ounce of prevention goes a long way for restoration and preservation.