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Comments: Dear Forest Service staff,

I would like to express my support for phasing out commercial apiaries in the Manti-La Sal National Forest. Commercial apiaries are often major threats to the persistence of native, threatened bees like the Western Bumblebee. I hope that the Forest Service will consider the Conservation Alternative plan among the possible plans for the future of the forest.

Best,

Shan Kothari