Data Submitted (UTC 11): 10/25/2021 1:35:27 AM First name: Dennis Last name: Silva Organization: Title: Comments: Include the Conservation Alternative that was written by several regional conservation groups. Take advantage of their knowledge and hard work.

I am especially concerned about native wildlife.

With regard to that, honeybee apiaries owned by commercial interests should never be allowed in our national forests. They complete with our diverse native bees, and could transmit disease to them. They also promote non-native weeds, and our natives might lose their native pollinators. There's no way to avoid this conflict, as we know so little about the native bees, so it only responsible to exclude the commercial hives.

Remove the non-native mountain goats from the La Sal Mountains. I hike in the high La Sals regularly in the summer, and their impacts to vegetation and soils are obvious.