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Comments: gimme shelter, shelter from the storm, the storm of development that is sweeping over every nook and cranny of our vanishing rural valley.

I moved to the Roaring Fork Valley in 1979. Those were the good old days, people say, but we have opportunities to keep making these the good old days. A visionary trail from Carbondale to Crested Butte is one such opportunity. I am a Vietnam veteran with Parkinson's from agent orange. For me and so many other people, a nature break is the best medicine there is. This trail will take dedication and persistence and a focus on the well-being, health and lifestyles of future generations. It will be a legacy to be proud of.