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Comments: Hello Pagosa Ranger District of the San Juan National Forest,

I am a property owner of the San Juan River Village and would like to formally protest the proposed gravel pit. While I understand the need of a local gravel pit, I don't understand proposing it next to a community and proposed public enhancements. I love the idea of trail systems, recreation facilities, and fuels and vegetation treatments. However, having a gravel mining operation so close to the main hub of activity on Jackson Mountain and a stones throw away from a thriving community is absolutely absurd. Let's be reasonable and find a location for mining operations that benefits all in the community.

Kind regards!