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Comments: I would like to expressed my concern about the gravel pit that is on the forest services project for the spring on Jackson Mountain. I've been a resident in Archuleta County since 1984 my family and I have spent a large amount of time upon Jackson mountain, camping and hiking and fishing, we raised our kids up there on weekend camping trips and we have now started to take our grandkids up on family camping trips. It is also a place that we are allowed to take our dogs and let them run freely. If the gravel pit goes in Jackson mountain will lose his character and his pristine Camping areas in the national forest. The traffic will be so bad that our grandkids will not be able to ride their bikes on the road. We will not be able to let our dogs run loose and the noise will ruin the atmosphere that we have grown accustomed to on Jackson Mountain , another thing I would like to point out is that in the late 80s the roads move badly in San Juan river village and we had to rebuild our road access up to the water towers and re-secure the water towers due to the shifting of the mountain, knowing that the gravel pit will only be 1900 feet away from my water tank. I have great concerns that the vibration between the gravel pits and the trucks Will spark another road side slide. I do not understand why the forest service has chosen the first three choices to be in dense population areas when they have back up areas that would be less resistant from the public because there is not much population in the areas of these other sites , I highly recommend that this committee of Archuleta County and the forest service look to relocate the gravel pit to a more rural setting where they will not be so much traffic and we can keep the pristine beauty of Jackson mountain that the public as you so much thank you for your time.