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Comments: We are excited about the planned trail system and habitat improvements to benefit wildlife and mitigate fire danger. However, the development of a gravel pit seems counter to these goals. First of all, a gravel pit is an eyesore. In addition, the increase in heavy trucks ,if the location of the pit requires them to share the road accessing the trail system, will stress the roads during wet times and create clouds of dust during dry times. A gravel pit with heavy equipment required to dig the gravel and load trucks will be noisy and affect the serenity of the area. Certainly there are other less sensitive areas for the gravel pit.