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Comments: We, residents of Archuleta County, Colorado are fully aware of the current need for additional gravel in this county. However, with the acres of open space in this county, one of the least populated in reference to the ratio of size and population density, a location should be only selected after due diligence. Jackson Mountain location would be considered a location IF NOT IN PROXIMITY to RESIDENTIAL AREAS. The public is becoming far more aware of the assets and detriments to the mining operation and thus, so should the Commissioners of Archuleta County and the USNFS be expertly advised of the detrimental effects of a mining operation on a population's health and well being. We too were members of the STOP THE ROCKS initiative against the proposed gravel mining operation on CR600 on Oakbrush Hill. This too was too close to not only residences, but too close to natural resources. All the reasons we rejected a mining operation on Oakbrush Hill are equivalent to this proposed site. It is time that we as county residents take the time and initiative to stop these proposed dangerous operations around where people live, work, and play as there are suitable locations for our future mining operation without harming nature or human life.