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Comments: My enjoyment of the Jackson Mtn. area has mainly focused on its quiet beauty. I have enjoyed hiking, participating in the Weminuche Audubon Society's Bird Monitoring projects, learning about native plants and seeking a peaceful evening picnic spot.

Therefore, my main concerns are the extensive proposed mtn. bike trail system and the proposed gravel pit: I was shocked when I viewed the map of proposed mtn. bike trails at the Open House - especially the blue category. Would riders have a mountain experience or just a fun park? How would such an extensive, seemingly invasive system of trails and potential accompanying campers not change the landscape forever and affect the winter range of elk and the area's wildlife and corridors?

The gravel mine just seems totally out of place. It would be an aggravation of noise and dust and the trucks would be incredibly dangerous on the narrow, winding road.

Thank you for reconsidering such altering proposals and listening to all who treasure Jackson Mt.