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Comments: To The Pagosa Ranger District;

I am deeply saddened and concerned about the unauthorized "development" of mountain bike trails in our National Forests. While I am not against mountain biking per se, I am against trails being "developed" by persons unknown and without authorization and lacking in expertise in wildlife management and conservation. It is your responsibility and your job to stop this. Warnings at first, continued disregard resulting in continuous increasing penalties. Those penalties should be money, mandantory education and service as all of those are negatively impacted by their actions. Jackson Mountain Landscape Project #61809 is a case in point. Regards,

George Alexander