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Comments: I own property in Valdez both near to and on the river. I join the Acequia de San Antonio and the FriendsoftheRioHondo with regard to their concerns about the MDP and about the Forest Service's due diligence. The MDP should not be approved unless the concerns of Acequia and Friends are fully and carefully addressed and answered. There must be careful determinations by the Forest Service showing that nothing in the MDP will adversely affect the water in Valdez. A final draft of those determinations and the factual and analytic bases for the determinations must be made public, and certainly should be delivered to Friends and Acequia, before any approval of the MDP. The Forest Service has a duty of due diligence and careful protection of water in downstream land and residence owners. s/- Jonathan B. Sutin.