

Data Submitted (UTC 11): 10/24/2023 6:00:00 AM

First name: Tom

Last name: Heffernan

Organization:

Title:

Comments: Dear Sir: I belong to the Ridgway Ouray Community Council and I am in favor of most of the GMUG Forest Plan. I disagree with ROCC on timber and I am in agreement with your alternative B of 772,000 acres. As a retired Forest Service employee I have done my best to explain FS timber management to my fellow members but with limited success. In regard to Wilderness I think ROCC's alternative D calling for 324,000 acres of Wilderness is excessive but I also feel that the FS alternative of 46,000 is not sufficient. Surely over 3.2 million acres there has to be more acreage than that worthy of Wilderness!