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Comments: From reading your information, it appears to me that you would protect the land, the wildlife, the other stuff from everyone who wants to use the land for other purposes. This land would be protected forever so wildlife could be safe and feel safe in the area. Ranchers should stay away from all areas that is considered areas for wildlife so there is no conflict. I would like to see a great part of this land use to protect wildlife as they don't have much room now and with people continuing to harm and kill them, these innocent wildlife animals need a lot of protected area. Ranching and other things mentions should be protected also but most important to me is protecting wildlife from harm by the state officials that this land is in and the federal government and everyone else who might be interested in this land. This land needs to be protected first for the wildlife and second for everything else you mentioned in your letter. Protection needs to be permanent. Thank you.