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Comments: I support the proposal that most minimizes the area where people can legally shoot. While I don't support a ban on shooting in the national forest altogether, this activity should be restricted to areas that don't host other recreational activities. In my time on Pikes Peak, I have ridden my bike, driven a car, and hiked by groups involved in shooting activities in the Gold Camp road area and it is quite concerning. Not only are people shooting up trees and wildlife and leaving a mess, but it is a quite intimidating situation. Many of these activities seem to be militia groups that are training for war, and walking/riding by them is downright scary. In no other situation is there as much chasm between recreational user groups as this one, and there is no other group that creates more destruction.