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Comments: Shooting should be restricted to the available indoor shooting ranges period. There should be no designated outdoor spaces as the noise is objectionable to me, my family and my pets. There is not a provision to prevent the noise from traveling and I can hear gunshots constantly while sitting on my deck on the weekends. The typical decibel level for a firearm is 150db to 170db and this level of sound can carry for miles especially through the woods. This is disturbing to me and violates my right to quiet enjoyment of my property. Given the documented cases where alcohol and other substances were involved it's obvious this is not a safe activity and would create an undue burden on law enforcement to ensure these shooters were abiding by the rules. And given the risk of wildfires and the number of residences in the forest interface area, this is a needless risk to take. Despite the fact these people feel they have a right to shoot anywhere they want, a small minority of people should not be allowed to negatively impact the peaceful nature of our surrounding forests. The national forest system belongs to everyone.