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Comments: We are appalled at the efforts to take public and tribal lands for private interests. This is against Americans support for wilderness and wildlife. We fully support Sir David Attenborough's call for rewilding our ecosystems. He has been honored as a Champion of the Earth by the United Nations. We know that key species for balanced ecosystems are being killed to the point of extinction - the icons of the West - in the most unnecessary and brutal ways which also threaten pets and livestock, and water resources.

Trophy hunting must be banned, and the "culling" or killing of wildlife is short-sighted and a waste of taxpayer money. The proposed action will protect these lands and promote the education of the public in the benefits of that protection.

Please consider approving this proposal as a way to foster education and protections of our precious water and wildlife. PLEASE.