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Comments: I support the proposed mineral withdrawal on the Hassayampa River.

The upper basin of the Hassayampa River is near my home. I take walks in the area from Wolf Creek to the Hassayampa River and enjoy the areas birds and creek-side plants, trees and the slow healing of long past mining.

It is hard to imagine the even more damaging mining systems that are possible now.

I ask the USFS to do an expedited environmental assessment of the Hassayampa River Riparian Corridor.