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Comments: Protect the Cibola for future generations

Thank you for soliciting comments on the Cibola's ongoing inventory for lands with wilderness characteristics. I believe we should know our wildernesses and protect them for our own sanctuary and recreation and for the preservation of their wild plant and animal life. I hike on most Sundays in the Magdalenas, San Mateos, or Bear Mountains and have also traveled to the Mt. Taylor area and Manzano Mtns to camp and hike. These are places where it is still quiet, where extractive industries such as mining and timber logging no longer occur, where one can spend hours in woods far from even forest roads.

Please inventory these areas, as well as any other large roadless areas as comprehensively as possible. Protect these areas through the forest planning process and recommend these areas to Congress as suitable for permanent wilderness designation.

Thank you for considering my comments.

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