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Santa Fe Mountains Landscape Resiliency Project

Mr. Melonas,

I appreciate your time and the difficulty of your position in regards to receiving comments questioning the Santa Fe Mountains Landscape Resiliency Project.

I think it's in everyone's best interest that the Forest Service conduct an Environmental Impact Statement regarding its impact on our community and the climate. I understand this is not in the current plan and feel this should be corrected.

I would like to see the Forest Service explore fireproofing homes rather than burning trees in light of our current climate crisis. I'm also concerned about opening roads (either lightly loaded or inventoried roadless areas) and increasing the exposure of our wilderness to further exploitation by industry which can degrade wildlife habitat, spread invasive species, and allow arsonist and wildlife poachers free access.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Kyle Okuma