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I have been camping and hiking in the Maricopas for over twenty years. I have explored the area and have found several sensitive sites that should be protected. With that said please keep in mind the historical uses of the areas near and around the Union Pacific Rail Road. I belong to a group of folks that have been involved in clean up of the roads and highways in the area for many years. We as a group have a intrest in the historical signifigance of the Rail Road and its vast impact on the State of Arizona and the United States. I would recomend that existing roads and camp sites remain and a stronger enforcement roll to be taken by the BLM in this area. After all the land being discussed is the land of and for the people of this Country and State. All people need access to this area regardless of disability or mode of transpotation. If the roads are closed how does someone in a wheelchair access the campsites and other aspects of the Monument?