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Subject: DoD response to national monuments data call
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Hi,

Here is the DoD response. We should discuss, but it only has to be brief.

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List of National Monuments of Interest

Giant Sequoia – California

Hanford Reach – Washington

Upper Missouri River Breaks – Montana

Carrizo Plain – California

Basin and Range – Nevada

Berryessa Snow Mountain – California

Gold Butte – Nevada

Sand to Snow – California

San Gabriel Mountains – California

Craters of the Moon – Idaho



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Randal Bowman
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Dear Mr. Bowman,

After consultation with the Military Departments regarding the review of all national monuments and marine national monuments listed in the May 11, 2017, Federal Register, "Review of Certain National Monuments Established Since 1996: Notice of Opportunity for Public Comment" (82 FR 22016), the Department of Defense (DoD) has not identified any national monument or marine national monument that requires reconsideration for purposes of national defense at this time. Of those monument designations of interest to DoD, the designations were closely coordinated with the Department resulting in safeguards against encroachment and language protective of military activities and facilities. However, if any national monument identified on the attached list undergoes further review in accordance with the Federal Register notice, we would like to discuss possibly enhancing the language in the monument designation to even better protect military activities and facilities.

We appreciate the opportunity to participate in this review process and would appreciate the opportunity to participate in further reviews and discussions. My point of contact is Mr. Steve Sample who may be contacted at (703) 571-0076.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense
(Environment, Safety and Occupational Health)

Enclosure:
As stated