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Hi - I love to hike in
this area, we need
to preserve these areas
& their watersheds. They
said Hanford Nuclear
Facility would NOT LEAK
into the water table & it WAS
that nuclear plants were now
fail safe & we have notdown
in Japan. NO URANIUM
MINING OR WASTE PLEASE!



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Thanks
Diane

I support the full withdrawal of all segregation areas on the plateaus around Grand Canyon National Park from uranium mining, for at least 20 years.

Please don't ruin this incredible area - its not worth it! Uranium waste is for ever. Do you want to leave your kids this kind of world?

Sincerly



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March 15, 2011

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Dear Mr. Florence:

We are in favor of Alternative B, Secretary of the Interior Ken Salazar's proposal to withdraw 1 million acres from mineral entry in three tracts north and south of Grand Canyon National Park. We have traveled in Arizona repeatedly during our careers in the military. Mining should never be allowed to diminish the wild character and beauty of the Grand Canyon. We compliment BLM on the environmental impact statement, which gives a detailed analysis of the likely impacts of mining.

We have reviewed a map showing the withdrawal boundaries and the many mining claims that were staked before Secretary Salazar made it off-limits to miners. Alternatives A, C and D would leave too much of the area exposed to mineral development. Under those alternatives, the EIS estimates that up to 728 "exploration projects" could occur, and up to 26 new uranium mines. Under Alternative B there would be only 11 exploration projects and only seven new mines, which we hope can be averted as we will suggest below.

We support the complete 1 million acre withdrawal as proposed by Secretary Salazar, and we have these further suggestions:

- BLM should check every existing mining claim and, if it lacks a valuable mineral deposit as the Mining Law requires, it should be cancelled. Many if not most of the mining claims are probably not valid.
- For those claims that prove to be valid existing rights, BLM should undertake to acquire the rights by exchange or buyout. No new mines should be allowed in the withdrawal area if there is any possibility of acquiring the rights.

Thank you for considering our thoughts.

Sincerely,



I support protecting from mining the one million acres of public lands surrounding Grand Canyon National Park as identified in Alternative B of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement. I also support protecting these lands for 20 years, which is the maximum allowed administratively.

I SUPPORT ALT. B
for many reasons,
for example clearing
the pinyon & juniper
will destroy small
animal habitat &
winter habitat for
 elk, deer etc. These
road access provides access
for poachers.

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