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This email is express my comments on the revised BLM Management Plan for the Lander area. I cannot express strongly enough, how important the "Bus" off of Baldwin Creek and "Johnny Behind the Rocks" are to the public for non-motorized recreation. Although we live in an amazingly remote place in the country, there is actually little access to public land in the immediate area of Lander. Both the Bus and JBR are amazing ecological and geological areas that are best enjoyed without the noise and damage of motorized vehicles. As for livestock grazing, my preference would be to disallow it for these areas based on the damage that the animals do to the trails in wet and dry periods. However, if it must go forward, not allowing them onto the land until after the land has dried out. Last year the cows did extensive damage to the trails at the Bus during a wet period. Finally, if the Bus could include both BLM and State Lands in a partnership that allowed for trail maintenance and construction, it would really make the area a much better recreation destination. There is so much potential for good trail development at BLM lands throughout Fremont County, and I encourage continued development of trails for non-motoroized use. I commend the BLM for the work you have done and allowed at JBR, as it is truly becoming a place that is really fun to bike/hike/horse ride.

I am in support of the Alternatives that provide the most conservation of the land and minimize resource development and motorized travel.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

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