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COLORADO

Cazier - DNR, Tim <tim.cazier@state.co.us>

Grape Creek, Horseshoe Mountain Mine Lease

1 message

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To: tim.cazier@state.co.us

Mon, Dec 10, 2018 at 12:41 AM

Dear Mr. Cazier,

I am writing in regards to the proposal to gather information that may lead to mining in this area. As I'm sure you are well aware, the State Land Board is bound by the requirement that it should only permit "Only those uses that will protect and enhance the beauty, natural values, open space, and wildlife habitat of those lands".

I'm not sure if you've been to Grape Creek yourself. I encourage you to go, bring a fly rod, or boots and a camera/binoculars. You'll pass some wonderful fish, mule deer, and bighorn sheep habitat that will be detrimentally impacted by mining activity, and areas downstream, including the Arkansas River and Cañon City.

The future of this rich habitat is in your hands sir. Please don't help resource extractor's short-term gains come at the expense of this land managed by the State Land Board, the wildlife there, and downstream concerns along the Arkansas River.

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