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From: C Branca
Sent: Tuesday, November 26, 2013 12:09 PM
To: blm_co_nw_sage_grouse@blm.gov
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St. Augustine, FL 32086

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Chatsworth, CA 91313

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Sent: Friday, November 29, 2013 3:32 PM
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I hope you will do your best to see that Alternative C is implemented. This would keep large areas of sage-grouse habitat from being destroyed through development saving not only this grouse but the Americans from the soulless, endless development that has so destroyed the natural beauty of our country.

Thank you for considering these comments. I hope your heart will be touched by the need for this bird and for natural resources.

Timothy and Michele Fiala
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Key West, FL 33040

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From: Marie-Ange Berchem
Sent: Friday, November 29, 2013 5:27 PM
To: blm_co_nw_sage_grouse@blm.gov
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From: Ted von Hippel, Ph.D.
Sent: Saturday, November 30, 2013 7:14 PM
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