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## Fwd: Oppose: The NV & CA Greater Sage Grouse Bi-State Distinct Population Segment Land Use Plan Amendment

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I Oppose the BLM's The NV & CA Greater Sage Grouse Bi-State Distinct Population Segment Land Use Plan Amendment.

Based on the fact that there are approved hunting seasons for the GSG.

Why would you or any other agency set up a plan to protect an obviously healthy species?

I can only come to one obvious conclusion and that is that the BLM under internal belief or from outside pressures are trying to come up

with any reason to block access to the public (who are the actual owners) of Federally "Managed", not owned lands.

I have recreated using motorized travel in Western Nevada since 1977 and in the great outback of this region and the only thing that I have

witnessed is new housing developments and some new businesses that are spreading. They take up such a small percentage of the land

that even they have little or no impact on the GSG. The travel that I and other recreational users have and even lesser impact

I am a lifetime member of the BlueRibbon Coalition and I have been made aware of this situation through them and have read

their response letter/statement regarding this. I believe that due to political correctness that they are being way too kind and understanding

to the BLM plan.

Please keep me posted on any other plans/reasons that you come (dream) up with to restrict the public access to their lands.

regards,

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