

BLM should also take into account the effects of coal mining on wildlife habitat, ~~and~~ outdoor recreation and tourism. I would urge BLM to take special note of the leasing program effects on sage grouse habitat. No coal should be leased within the boundaries of America's Redrock Wilderness Act (S. 1375/H.R. 2430) as introduced in the 114th Congress. - As the BLM considers socio-economic impacts, it should examine the potential for a just transition to new employment opportunities in a changing ~~market~~ economy. Coal mining generates numerous externalities ~~related to~~ all of which should be factored in to the ~~cost of~~ ^{analysis of} the coal leasing program ~~analysis~~ costs.