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Rico Trail Closures

My name is Hannah Spellbring and I am writing in honor of my grandfather, Harold Off. Since before I was born my grandfather has been bringing my family and friends up to Rico as a special time to bond with family and to get away from reality. Rico was, and still is, our ultimate getaway from everyday life. We would pack up our four-wheelers, Jeeps, and dirt bikes and go on wonderful adventures. We would discover new trails and unseen sights all day long while listening to old stories my grandfather told of his childhood. He taught us life lessons on the trails and reminded us to always have time to 'stop and smell the roses,' simply put. My grandfather passed away suddenly and unexpected at a young age a few years ago. When we miss him and want to be close to his memory we pack up and head for the trails in Rico. The trails that he loved and taught us to love and respect as well.

Closing the trails that many generations grew up on would be devastating and so disappointing to our family and my grandpas memory. Our family owns multiple properties in Rico that family and friends from all over the country come to fellowship with each-other multiple times a year. We have generated much business with the town of Rico and would hate for it to be any other way.

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