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catastrophe of global warming, it makes no logical sense for the US Forest Service to further contribute by opening up wilderness."

Steve Durbin WA 98239-4100

"...stop big coal from mining roadless forests...in fact...stop big coal all together...!!! DOWN WITH WITH COAL; OP WITH THE ENVIRONMENT...!!!"

Evelyn Durfee WA 98229-2333

"Please do not allow arch coal to destroy our precious forest. The burning of coal, it's transportation is already causing too much enviro Name tall damage. Please do not be a partner with them in this effort."

Joan Durham OH 45458-4098

"Please protect the environment for all of us. Once the damage is done, it cannot be undone. Please put the public ahead of Arch Coal's profits--that is your responsibility."

Anne Duri

UT 84532-0922

"NOOOOOOO ! Please stop all this plundering. We should, given the technological advances of the last several decades, be well beyond the use of coal for energy."

Dawn Durning-hammond

"Dear Forest Service personnel: It has become very clear that the preservation of civilization as we know it requires rapid transition from the use of fossil fuels to an economy powered by 100% renewable energy. We need to keep at least 80% of known coal, oil and gas reserves in the ground. Faced with this imperative, allowing a private company to build a road across public wild lands, in order to mine coal, would be highly irresponsible. It would also set a dangerous precedent for future mining operations.

Please reject Arch Coal's request. Thank you."

Anita Dutt NY 10463

"KEEP IT IN THE GROUND\_ ENOUGH ALREADY"

Linda Dutton KY 40220-1130

"We must stop destroying our pristine earth for GREED. We must preserve the earth for our children."

Anita Duval

TN 37721-3605

"Our forests are our treasures. Coal mining should never be allowed there!"

Grable Duvall CA 95446-0003

"Stop the madness of ruining our earth for profits. Do it for your great grandchildren!"

Mary Duvall OR 97016-2516

"We know it is essential to keep our forests UP and mature to sequester CO2. Putting in roads is wrong in the current crisis of climate degradation....especially for digging up coal that belongs in the ground. Beijing is having a red alert, closing schools and shutting down traffic because the SO4 and coal pollution are approaching lethal levels.... We must end this and the Forest Service as a science arm of the people, by the people and for the people MUST serve and protect the public by denying all such requests from private companies on public lands. Do you job and stop the madness."

Martha Dwyer IL 60626-5915

"Please say no to this corporate interest that has no interest in the welfare of the beautiful trees and natural life that thrives in these forests. Also, please consider the loss of the restorative value these forests provide by way of being our planet's lungs and filtering system. I beg you with all I hold sacred, do not weaken the Colorado Roadless Rule. Thank you."

Virginia Dwyer NY 13321-3330

"This is a very destructive proposal that will put tons of climate pollution into our atmosphere and damage the world's economy as well as the environment."

Suzanne Dye FL 33704-3557

"Ever been to West Virginia? Yikes! Still some beautiful places, but where the coal mining has been, such horrible devastation. Don't do the same to Colorado."

Deborah Dyer MA 02461-1714

"Forests are lungs for the ecosystem. They do more than that. Is there not enough devastation to our forested lands. Please say an emphatic NO to Arch coal!"

Paul Dyer

OH 43214-3324

"OUR forests and lands need protection, for the benefit of all. Please do not let fossil fuel companies destroy them."

Connie Dyer VA 22101

"I've enjoyed the pristine forest of Colorado and Wyoming for many years and strongly urge you to maintain their untouched beauty so my yet to be born grandchildren and future Americans can enjoy them too. What coal mining has done in West Virginia is damage enough. Do not let it be repeated anywhere else."

Terry Dykstra DE 19702

"Our forests are important. They help to sustain life on our planet. I am from Eastern Ky. I have seen the damage that coal mining does to the forest and the water supply. No roadless bulldozing please."

Cheryl Dykstra NY 12309-5927

"There are no loopholes for persons - and so there should be no loopholes for corporate personhoods that currently enjoy more rights and privileges than actual persons."

Terri Dymeck AZ 86301-7403

"Do not reopen the coal mining loophole"

Cynthia Dyrnes WA 98584-0997

"Please don't bulldoze new roads in Colorado wild lands to get more coal. We need to expand alternative energy."

Eileen Dziak OH 44111-1414

"Let's focus on renewables so that we can leave a clean, beautiful Earth for the generations to follow. Stop damaging our beautiful lands!"

Jennifer Dziedzic MN 55311-1297

"Please close this loophole to prevent Arch Coal from destroying 1000's of acres of unforested wilderness. Although to outsiders it can appear that this untouched land is perfect for mining coal, this action would disrupt and destroy valuable habitat for many species of animals and plants that rely on this area. Once bulldozed, the land can never be returned to the state that it is at this time. These actions would irrevocably damage and pollute this beautiful wildlife heritage. Not to mention all of the downstream contamination that these actions would produce. Please do not allow this pristine forest to be damaged for many many years to come."

Saulius Dzindaletas IL 60439-4236

"Coal in 21st century? Archaic methods take energy. Read more about Tesla and hundreds of people... who find humanity way."

Mercedes Dzindzeleta WI 53403-1129

"I came to see the forest and all I saw was dirt! I wished to walk upon unspoiled earth and came upon the trampled dirt. STOP the destruction of OUR, yours and mine, natural wonders."

S E

MN 55021

"think of your children's futures you greedy people!"

B. E.

CA 91361-4500

"Please stop putting corporations and money before our planet and population's health!"

Susie E. Lindsay MI 48169-8826

"Coal mining is one of the most destructive forms of energy production. This business has trashed much of West Virginia and is a straight forward example of what coal removal does to the environment."

Carole Eade

CA 94945-1703

"It would be highly immoral for you to support Arch Coal instead of doing what's right and supporting our forests and wildlife."

George Eady FL 32569-2252

"to take down the forests .is to take away the air we breath .stop the politicians from selling us out the back door."

Tabitha Eagle VA 22102

"Subsidizing Big Coal limits the effectiveness of research for other energy solutions to limit CO2 production."

Lee Eames

CA 90815-5127

"Coal contributes to climate change and is a resource that should be phased out. Do not bulldoze forests for another coal mine."

Mr. Eans

"UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES CUT DOWN 1 FEDERALLY PROTECTED TREE, BUSH, AND / OR SHRUB TO PAVE OR GRADE "ANY" DAMMED ROAD OR THROUOUGH FARE THROUGH THE PRISTINE FOREST(S) THERE IN THE BEAUTIFUL STATE OF COLORADO!!! DO NOT ALTER, CUT DOWN OR DTSTROY ANYTHING THERE FOR THAT EVIL-GREEDY-SOULLE\$\$ CRAP-COMPANY AND KEEP YOUR FOREST(S) THERE UNALTERED, AND UN-DE\$TROYED IN THE NAME OF EVIL-RETHUG-A\$\$-LIKKKLAN-REPTILIAN-GREED!!!

;~`O DO NOT ALTER, OR DE\$TROY YOUR BEAUTIFUL FORRESTS THERE FOR " ANY " REASONS."

Anne Earhart CA 92651-1547

"Come on, coal is a dinosaur and it is time to stop digging up our living breathing forests for more coal to poison our atmosphere. Not worth it at any price."

Gayle Early

CA 91941-5633

"Please, we have so little of our pristine natural ecosystems, for us and all creatures, left. We know that more destruction for coal hurts all of us and is a bad direction for the climate crisis."

Lester Earnest CA 94022-4629

"We need to terminate coal production as soon as possible."

Shinann Earnshaw OR 97703-1121

"Get the miners out of MY forests. They don't belong there, ruining my recreation areas and the homes of many wild--and often endangered--species that add to my enjoyment of the environment."

Marsha Earp NC 28586-8576

"Please stop the coal mining industry from bulldozing the Colorado forest. We do not want 130 million tons of climate pollution . Our lands are to be protected .also please prevent the 65 miles of road that would destroy the roadless forest and harm our environment ."

Lorraine Eason

"Close the loophole!"

Denise East

"Please stop coal mining!!!!"

Jeffrey Easter FL 32953-8092

"Why are we destroying nature for Grampa's energy source? This makes no sense in the current economic environment."

Betty Eastham FL 34946-6604

"We MUST stop denuding our wild forests so we can preserve an extremely important resource in the fight against pollution just so the rich can get richer while our planet dies."

Jonathan Eastman FL 33161-6439

"If it helps, estimate the number of hours/\$ of running a 40 watt bulb that will be potentially sacrificed by stopping the mining that the coal company wants to add to it's fossil fuel consumption. Give Arch Coal some help shifting their business to the innovative energy production called for to slow fossil fuel environmental impact."

Michelle Eaton CA 94933-0834

"It is simply unbelievable that the Forest Service would even consider something this detrimental to our Earth."

Chris Eaton

CA 91042-1836

"We can no longer suffer the effects of the greed of those who put their personal profit over the health of our

people and our planet! We need environmental protections now more than ever before because we

now better understand the scope of the damage our reckless consumption has brought upon our planet. The more we let these corporate polluters get away with the more they will persist in destroying our environment for the betterment of their bottom line! We don't need these coal corporations anymore. We will always need wilderness."

Victoria Ebanks FL 34787-2631

"This is terrible!!! This has to stop!!! We need our planet. Needless destruction of forrest dose not help. If our planet dies, SO DO WE!!!!!!!!!!!!!"

Sally Ebeling MA 02108-1201

"The cost of this loophole to the public and the climate is extreme, without benefit to anyone or anything but Arch Coal. There's a lot wrong with that picture."

Dorothy Eberhardt

"If climate change is to be reduced, we must stop using coal!!!! How can a government that supports wise use of energy allow further coal mining?"

Don And Ann Eberle NY 12189-2340

"Taking down forests and mining more coal is yet another source of pollution we don't need. Try wind and solar, for Pete's sake - and ours!"

Tracy Ebert

"Please do not allow Arch Coal to keep polluting our atmosphere. This forest is the habitat to black bear, elk, goshawk, lynx and trout among others. Arch Coal is the only beneficiary of this mining action. The world does not need more pollution .. just to benefit one corporation. Please stop this action."

Erik Ebert

WA 98043-5222

"Our Forests our a prized national resource and should not be destroyed to allow coal to be mined."

Louise Echola MN 56303-2632

"Please STOP destroying our Mother Earth!"

Marjorie Echols CA 95969-2453

"It is inconcieveable to me that a government department named "Forest Service" is doing such harm to our forests! To eliminate, damage and/or reduce our forests is to further hasten the effects of the "green house effect." Trees clean the air and produce oxygen --- even 2nd graders know this to be true.... why, WHY don't you heed the laws of nature and protect not only our planet, which DOES NOT have unlimited resources, but humanity and all forms of life as well? This is not a mindless question. THIS IS SERIOUS, FOREST SERVICE! STOP ALLOWING THE DESTRUCTION AND HONOR THE EARTH WHICH WE HAVE BEEN GIVEN THE HONOR TO LIVE ON, PRESERVE AND PROTECT. Coal fuel is archaic... let's use the renewal energies (wind and sun power) to accomplish our power needs rather than the elements of Earth that took millions of years to create. PLEASE! HAVE A GREATER CONSCIENCE OTHER THAN COW-TOWING TO THE MONEY MONGERS WHO TWIST ARMS AND BUY THEIR WAY TO MORE MONEY, WHICH IS, AFTERALL, THEIR BOTTOM LINE."

Susan Eck

OH 43050-9676

"Take a stand and try to make it the right one. #EarthtoParis!!!!"

Lynda Eckard MD 20814-1813

"Please close the loophole that would allow this proposal possible."

Carolyn Eckel PA 19053-7329

"Stop destroying our country and our forrests and our earth."

Dominik Eckenstein NY 11205-3709

"Please preserve and do not destroy.Leave fossil fuels in the ground."

Stephanie Eckert NJ 07054-4020

"Please do not allow this destruction to take place. Stop coal mining on roadless forests - -- stop Arch Coal. Thank you."

KL Eckhardt

VA 22601-4853

"We need the trees! The trees are what cleans our air and provides oxygen. Stop killing trees."

James Eckman CA 94040-1773

"Leave it in the ground!"

Vonny Eckman PA 17015-9102

"Thank you for listening once again to our pleas for a cleaner Earth and help keep a few places on this planet where our children and grand children can observe nature as it was meant to be. How many billions of \$\$\$\$\$\$ does one company need?"

Marianne Edain WA 98260-0053

"National Forest lands belong to all the people of the United States, not just to the large corporations who wish to profit by their destruction. We need those forests to continue to cycle CO2. We most definitely DO NOT need more coal dug, transported, and burned. As an agency of the federal government, it is the mandate for the Forest Service to consider the best interests of ALL the people. Please do that and deny all permits for clearing and/or mining."

Daniel Eddinger GA 30752-5438

"Our lungs need air more than corporations need bigger profits."

William Edelman PA 19116-1046

"Stop this rape of the environment to slake the bloodthirsty greed of these bastards."

Judge Chuck Edelstein(ret.)

FL 33143-6226

"The Forest Service. How would you be living up to your name and your charter to allow the destruction of that which you are supposed to protect by facilitating yet more coal dependency. What is there to learn from Paris, the Pope and the overwhelming views of the world's climate scientists and the public.?"

Tammy Edlefsen UT 84414-2829

"Please don't rape the land."

Matthew Edmonds MI 48837-9455

"Please protect our forests & our Earth."

Jan Edmonds

MI 48809

"There has to be some pristine areas left in this world for future generations and all the wildlife that live there. We can't keep destroying everything for something so puny as money."

Thomas Edsall MI 48105-1515

"We have said it once and we are saying it again....stop coal mining in roadless forests."

Barbara Edson MN 55068-3342

"Protect this forest for the future. Once lost it is gone forever. Don't sacrifice it to big pollution, please. Treat the earth with respect. Thank you."

Patricia Edson VA 23227-1849

"Protect our forests."

Travis Edwards

"We will not allow these psychotic money hoarding criminals have their way!"

Amber Edwards CA 95971-0769

"Please don't ruin pristine habitat to mine coal a limited resource which burns dirty and increases Global Climate Change! Be a part of the solution not the problem!"

Lance Edwards KY 40213-1530

"I COME FROM A COAL-FIRED STATE AND I LIVE IN ANOTHER COAL-FIRED STATE. I UNDERSTAND THE DYNAMICS OF HOW IT ALL BEGAN. I HAVE HAD COAL MINERS IN MY FAMILY. I UNDERSTAND THE ECONOMICS OF THE INDUSTRY. BUT ALL ANYONE HAS TO DO IS STOP AND TAKE A CLOSE LOOK, AND RUN THROUGH THE PROPOGANDA USED TO SUPPORT COAL USE. IT ALL SYNTHESIZES DOWN TO ONE REASON - PROFIT. I'M NOT AGAINST LEGAL PROFIT, BUT DESTROYING THE WHOLE DAMNED PLANET TO MAKE A BUCK ONLY MAKES SENSE IF YOU ARE ONE OF THE FEW TOP DOLLAR RECEIPIENTS--IT SURE ISN'T THE COAL MINERS. STOP ELECTING BOUGHT AND PAID FOR POLITICIANS WHO OWE THESE DESTRUCTIVE CONCESSIONS IN EXCHANGE FOR CAMPAIGN MONEY! STOP PRETENDING THAT A FEW FORESTS HERE AND THERE WON'T MATTER (AS LONG AS THEY ARE IN SOMEONE ELSE'S BACKYARD). ACT NOW AND KEEP ACTING."

Robert Edwards LA 70433-7906

"Our children's children will need to dream of forests as places to explore. If no pristine forest are left, how can they have real dreams? Also, they will need clean air not polluted with coal dust. Please take pride in preserving our children's future?"

Lucy Edwards NH 03261-4208

"No coal mining, period! It's literally going to kill us."

Beverly Edwards NH 03084-4624

"We need to maintain our roadless forests as is! We also need to stop supporting the coal industry. Its usage is contributing to climate change."

Charles Edwards TX 77345-1940

"At a time of unprecedented change in the energy markets (low oil and gas prices - and surging demand for renewables) there is simply no need for more coal mining, particularly when coal is the most carbon

intensive of the fossil fuels. And certainly not in wilderness areas. Please do the right thing and reject this application by Arch Coal."

Nancy Edwards TX 77025-5703

"I oppose mining any more coal. Burning coal produces too much CO2."

Patrick Edwards TX 79605-3745

"It is time to act responsibly."

William Edwards WA 98266

"Fossil fuels are on the way out, not just for the carbon emissions but for the damage in harvesting them. It's time to halt further damage to eco systems we need to live."

Willie Edwards WA 98408-1232

"STOP COAL MINING ON ROADLESS FORESTS!"

Lenore Edwards WA 99205-6907

"The Colorado Roadless Rule will continue to preserve our environment as well as the few remaining wild areas and species that to me are crucial."

Deborah Efron WA 98004-6061 "#N/A"

Lois Ege

MI 49449-8401

"Please don't jeopardize the future of the planet for the profit of one corporation."

Steven Eggen KY 41031-8527

"So, we are already losing trees in the Amazon and all over the world, and you're going to turn a blind eye to the rape of forest in this country? What the hell are you thinking? If you can't protect the resources and beautiful lands of our country, just step down and allow someone else who can to take over. Enough is enough."

JO Eggers

OR 97520-2791

"This proposal is a bad idea, very destructive of our national values, for the forest and for its potential to aggravate climate change."

K. Eggers

WA 99101-9712

"Coal is passT! Do your job for the people, NOT the corporate extortionists! Thank you!!!"

Patrick Eggleston NH 03031-1948

"We need to save forests and to use less coal to slow climate change. Coal mining does great damage to the environment."

Babs Eggleston OR 97527-9669

"National Forests are a national asset. We don't need to destroy in order to put more carbon in the air. Do not continue in this destructive mode."

Patrice Eggleston

IL 60645-4974

"As a native of the Rocky Mountains and as an American citizen, I know that you must stop this possible loophole. Thank you."

Carol Eglsaer MI 49862-9171

"Commercial development of any type needs to stay out of wilderness areas period."

Lyn Egolf Grider MN 55418-0404

"Halt all new fossil fuel leases on federal lands. Budget for the reduction of all existing fossil fuel leases to ZERO over the next 15 years."

Lee Ehman

NJ 07506-2631

"Please please stop destroying our forests, lands, our planet. Lee Ehman"

Anne Ehmann NY 11566-4610

"Please view the following for better perspective: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WmVLcj-XKnM> Thank

you!"

Jennifer Ehrenfried FL 33027-3208

"Coal mining? In the forests? In 2015?"

Janice Ehrenhaft IL 62864-8617

"ALL' coal is dirty coal and destroying pristine forests for this filth does not make 'logical' sense unless you're the coal companies who have shown that it does not care about the environment or your state. Maybe you should do a flyover in West Virginia coal country? I guarantee it will be an eye opener!"

Sylvia Ehrental CA 94705

"It is time to properly protect our natural forests."

Carole Ehrhardt CA 93953-0243

"If we are serious about climate change, we cannot allow this to happen. Roadless areas need to remain "roadless" and certainly not for mining coal, with all the environmental damage that goes along with coal. We can get rid of coal, as we have the technology to use renewable energy. Denmark and Germany are good examples. NO to more coal mining!!"

Henry Ehrlich NY 12180-0412

"Because because the carbon dioxide generated by burning coal contributes strongly to climate change, we need to get away from using coal as a fuel."

Gretel Ehrlich WY 82925-0015

"Coal plants are the worst polluters, causing the Greenland ice sheet to melt, causing severe health problems, spewing methyl mercury into the air and into the bodies of humans. Re educate coal miners and give thm new jobs in alternative energy sector. Please stop. Plug into Elon Musk's Powerwall for zero-carbon power. Thank you, gretel ehrlich"

Jean Ehrman IN 46805-1934

"America's wild places should not be under attack for the purpose of profit from the dirty energy source,

coal."

Amanda Ehrnst MI 49769-9047

"Don't degrade our Public Lands!"

Robin Eichleay MI 48098-2304

"Stop the exploitation. Preserve our forests and our planet. Do not reopen this loophole."

John Eide

OR 97071-2701

"Enough already! Just stop!"

Nora Eiesland WI 54020-4118

"Permanently destroy acres of forest for a temporary and toxic fuel? Are you %\$&# kidding me? Time to invest in renewables not old toxic fuel. Stop putting the wealth of a few ahead of the health of the planet!"

Amy Eiholzer NY 10463

"The US Forest Service should PROTECT not destroy our forests, and certainly not to exponentially multiply the environmental damage by sacrificing pristine forests to mine coal, the dirtiest and most environmentally damaging of all fuels. The world needs to move urgently and decisively away from dirty fossil fuels towards renewable clean energy sources, and the US Forest Service should lead the way.

Please reject this coal mining project and support renewable projects where you can."

Erik Eikaas

FL 34223-3015

"This is such a bad idea I can't believe the forest service is taking it seriously! Please stop this coal company from this destruction of our public land.."

Kerry Eikenbary MO 64057-1414

"stop Arch Coal from bulldozing thousands of acres of forest in order to mine."

Alisa Eilenberg NY 10463-3311

"The mining is destructive, as is the burning of coal and felling precious forest habitat. We need clean, renewable energy, not coal. Please say no to the roadless forest loophole now!"

Arlene Einwalter WI 53228-1457

"Please do not continue to take away our pristine forests in Colorado. Our planet needs its beauty!."

Cathy Eisemann CA 95050-6603

"We need to be investing in renewable energy sources, not trashing the environment."

Bill Eisen

CA 90267-1882

"Bulldozing pristine carbon sinking forests mining for more coal that when burned adds tons of pollutants to our atmosphere makes no sense in light of our national commitment to reduce greenhouse gases."

Julia Eisen

NJ 08360-4368

"Leave our forest alone."

Jordan Eisen WA 98122

"Not only do the forest need to be protected from further development (the ecosystems are very fragile), but any and all new coal mining must be stopped if we are to even hope at a chance of addressing climate change and protecting the planet. keep the wild wild and do not authorize any further development, particularly coal mining and access roads, in our nations forests."

Murray Eisenberg MA 02467-3157

"This activity despoils forests and is totally inconsistent with carbon reduction goals."

Barbara Eisenberg WI 53212-2219

"Hundreds of thousands of people commented on the Roadless Rule for National Forests. Americans do not want any more development in our National Forests. Coal mining is destructive to wildlife habitat and often leaves the land contaminated with acid mine drainage that is irreparable."

Peter Eisenkramer

"Coal is done. It is the worst environmental offender of them all, and nonsensical slogans like "clean coal" notwithstanding, we all have to face the facts, including those who are in this dying industry. Renewables are coming, are already here...embrace or be dragged kicking and screaming into the new age of truly (as in real life) clean energy."

Gloria Eive

CA 94577-5312

"Please do not allow Arch Coal to destroy Colorado forests to mine coal. Gloria Eive"

Annelise Eklund FL 33831-0094

"Stop destroying everything you come in contact with. You are not the only ones who count in this world."

Patrice Ekstrom OR 97055

"Please stop this unnecessary destruction by Arch Coal to our forests, animal life, and environment. Keep the carbon in the ground!!!!"

Malik El Taha CA 90505

"Stop damaging our environment to line the pockets of a few. This is wrong,(Do you understand what that means ?)"

Richard Elam CA 92117-1342

"We need to reduce our dependence on coal to meet the worlds demands for Global Weather changes. So we might as well protect our pristine forests as a added benefit. This is only the very wealthy coal owners trying to pillage more of the American Peoples resources for maximum profit. Its BS if you think its about producing energy to help the American People."

Susan Elam

MA 01950-3008

"Please save the trees. They will save the planet. Leave the carbon in the ground. Put oxygen in the air."

John Elder

NY 10512-4360

"Please do NOT re-open the loop hole in the Roadless Rule. We've just committed to a path to reduce

greenhouse gases and it's just a beginning. We and our children and children's children can't afford to go backwards. Please hold the line!"

Dave Elder

NY 13850-1121

"We don't need or want any more fossil fuel infrastructure, and we need to stop fossil fuel companies from enriching themselves at the expense of the public."

Debbie Eldridge FL 34452-7110

"STOP this destruction"

Karen Elenich TX 76627-3134

"Do not allow Arch Coal to bulldoze across thousands of acres of pristine forest."

Elizabeth Elgin AZ 86004-9210

"It is past time when we should be relying on coal. We must find alternatives. Our grandchildren will be bearing

the consequences of what we do now."

Judith Elguezabal CA 91331-3015

"Protect our roadless forests!"

Ralph Elias

CA 91910-7472

"Companies seeking to mine coal and encourage its use are at this point enemies of the planet and civilization."

Mia Elias

CA 92801-1748

"We don't want coal. We want a healthy ecosystem and no more climate pollution."

Pamela W. Elicker WA 98368-9234

"Please do what you can to prevent this damage. Thank you for reading my letter."

Rhoda Eligator PA 15217-1843

"This devastation should not be permitted to go through. I thoroughly oppose it."

Mary Elizabeth PA 16803-1502

"Reopening this loophole will make it possible for Arch Coal to reap profits while adding 130 million tons of climate pollution to our atmosphere, causing up to \$13 billion in damage to the world's economy and environment. The climate costs of this proposal are simply too high. This is not what America wants."

David Elk

OK 73012-6720

"This industry needs to be reduced. It;s unsafe to work in and it pollutes the environment after you wreck it where the mining occurs."

Pat Elka

CA 95338-9450

"Roadless forest habitat is needed for some animals who will not cross roads. Without the animals, ecosystems collapse. Roadless forest is already very scarce, only in remote areas where few humans ever venture. The last thing you want in such a pristine ecosystem is a coal mining bulldozer."

Casey Elkin

"Please stop killing everything in the name of comfort, luxury and greed."

Sara Elkins

MA 01060-1700

"Please don't let Arch Coal bulldoze the pristine roadless forest in Colorado in order to mine more coal, we don't need. These forests belong to all Americans to enjoy with the wild animals that live there. Why spoil it all so one company can profit. We will all be breathing the polluted air and adding to our global warming problem."

Anne Elkins

WA 98221-2533

"Coal is a dying industry, and we need our wild places to preserve our very souls. Please leave what's left of the wildernesses we have undisturbed before we lose them all."

Lisa Eller

CA 94112-2017

"As a school teacher, every day I see reasons to take care of our earth and environment. The number of roadless, areas is decreasing. We have to see the value in protecting these places instead of exploiting them for the resources that might be held there."

Daniel Eller

MN 55112-1430

"We need to eliminate the use of coal! We also need to protect all existing acreage of forest land; and even increase that acreage."

Claudia Eller NC 28697-3015

"STOP ARCH COAL!"

Peggy Ellertson WA 98225-8106

"Is nothing sacred to you anymore? Keep the loophole closed - enough of the GREED! Protect the FOREST!!!!!!!!!!!!!!"

Marcia Ellinger CA 91030-3216

"Please stop destroying the lungs of the earth"

Bruce Ellinwood HI 96744-3751

"Coal is the most harmful fuel we burn. Please keep it in the ground."

Vincent Elliott CA 94066-2117

"Coal is deadly-to people and to the environment."

Phyllis Elliott CA 90406-0054

"Don't sacrifice one more inch of forest for the coal industry. One hundred countries are meeting to plan how to move forward without burning coal. The industry needs to turn its attention to clean fuels NOW."

Mary Jane Elliott CA 94957-1587

"Please step up now and stop the damage to the planet. We need it to survive for our children."

Tracy Elliott

CA 91602-2612

"This country need to put its money into renewables! Coal is a fuel for the past , not future! Stop coal

mining period, but especially in what little forested areas we have left!!! Please"

Pamela Elliott OH 45895-2039

"We need to save this earth! Not destroy it! This will cause more pollution to add to the climate change that is already happening!"

Pamela Ellis

"Sounds like we're moving backwards. We should move forwards to finding a less dangerous solution."

Jane Ellis

OH 44333-3776

"No bulldozing forest!"

Cheryl Ellis

TX 78602-3764

"Please protect roadless forest areas in CO. Don't allow Arch Coal to destroy these lands, all the while continuing to contaminate our air. Coal is sooo last century. Time to end the massive destruction this industry is responsible for."

Susan Ellis

TX 75006-4734

"These are pristine areas that need to remain wild for our children's sake and grandchildren's sake. We rob them of our world - STOP THINK"

Chera Ellis

TX 78660-3868

"We need to take care of our environment for the sake of our children and etc."

Charles Ellis

VA 24054-3711

"I don't think that any corporation should be able to benefit from any government assets."

Camille Ellis-vickers LA 70116-2306

"Don't allow dirty coal to destroy anymore roadless pristine forest areas as we are destroying our environment at break neck speed. Protect the Colorado Roadless Rule."

Gail Ellsworth CA 93423-2555

"Please keep Arch Coal out of OUR National Forests."

Wendy Ellsworth PA 18951-5622

"Please don't let Arch Coal Co build roads in Colorados wilderness areas! We don't need more coal burning in the US that will add to climate change and Colorado needs its pristine wilderness areas intact."

Debra Ellsworth WI 53214-2336

"Restructure your company for the inevitable future of clean energy. Shame on your company!"

Richard Elmendorf CA 90024-5898

"Forests are the lungs of the planet taking CO2 out of the air to help mitigate global warming. We must preserve and rebuild our forests in order to survive."

Dennis Elmore

"Please do not allow Arch Coal to move forward. We don't need more coal."

Ronald Elmore

MI 49686-3917

"Coal is definitely on the way out of the US energy policy-It is highly destructive and excessively polluting- you know what to do-show some backbone!"

Dennis Ely

CA 95030-7135

"It's enough, do just stop with the BS roads!"

Lillian Ely

IL 60609-5901

"why do u have to tear everything up.cant leave the animals anything?"

Richard Ely

MA 01062-9793

"At a time when coal use should be declining as a means for power generation, Does mining on government land even make sense?"

Drexel Ely

TN 37042-1530

"This is absolutely wrong and not happen."

Edna Elze

"Arch is going broke, do not let them start something they will not be able to clean up."

Linda Emanuel IL 60202-1435

"For heaven's sake, move forward to clean energy and save our forests. What could be more obviously an urgent necessity. Close the loop hole and keep Arch Coal out."

Kyle Embler

GA 30312-3520

"To whom it may concern, As an outdoor lover and advocate of maintaining various wilderness areas of our great nation, I urge you to eliminate any possibility of opening these forests to coal mining activity. Coal is a dying industry and has no place in the future of America. Please defeat any proposal from these coal companies that will forever mar the landscape while offering nothing in return. Thank you for your serious and committed dedication to keeping our wilderness pristine and safe from these corporate polluters."

Lorna Emdy ID 83333

"Dwindling national forest land, especially roadless wilderness, should be protected from ALL extractive industries, especially dirty coal."

Craig Emerick OR 97330-6128

"Please heed the recent comments made by Prince Charles at the Paris Environmental Conference about forests being the main key to global warming - as well as wildlife protection. Let's keep the environment supportive of all life, not just funding the rich!"

Lawrence Emerson CA 91950-4121

"Save pristine forest, find alternate for coal"

Rev. Ann Emerson FL 32746-3482

"save our land and water from destruction"

Jan Emerson NY 10032-1326

"Please protect our forests and our climate. Give people jobs in renewable energy!"

Maryann Emery

"We don't need coal! We need our forests, our wildlife, and our climate."

Kurt Emmanuele TN 37405-2506

"Keep the coal companies from destroying our precious roadless areas! Thanks."

Robert Emory NH 03253-6730

"My family was in the coal business in the 19th and 20th century, in a big way. Thankfully we are done with that part of our lives. I wish we could undo what my grandfathers did."

Richard Emrich MI 49101-9786

"The last thing we should be doing is destroying forests and increasing coal production. This is terrible!!!"

S. Emsley

CA 93923-9739

"Roadless areas are roadless for a reason. Wild animals need space to call their own, and where they are not harassed or run down by heavy equipment. Animals also need large spaces to reproduce and find food, not slag heaps and poisonous ponds that kill everything around them and can cause runoff into pristine spaces."

David Enevoldsen CA 95133-2420

"This travesty simply cannot be allowed to happen. The world does not need to sacrifice the well-being of our planet to enrich climate-destroying companies such as Arch Coal. Please slam this idiotic proposal into permanent retirement immediately!"

Richard Eng

NY 13783-1847

"There is enough Coal in the Lehigh Valley. Stop destroying pristine habitats."

Dennis Engblom OR 97358

"Please, close the loophole and deny Arch Coal permission to destroy wilderness and pollute the earth."

Linda Engel  
CA 95407-6751

"No dirty coal, period."

Elena Engel  
CA 94110-2833

"We can't continue shooting ourselves in the foot by mining and using coal. The use of coal in particular, and the rippling up of forest that sequesters and makes use of carbon is ill-conceived. We will, eventually, have to stop putting carbon in the atmosphere. The question is when? We, as a society, can wait longer and longer making it more difficult to have a livable planet, or we can do it sooner, so that we might have a chance of salvaging our economy, our lives and the planet. So what are you waiting for, Forest Service?"

Selma Engel NY 10583-6552

"more forest...less or no coal"  
Sabrina Engel TX 77096-2505

"Please do not allow the degradation of this pristine environment!"

Nick Engelfried OR 97124-6417

"Arch Coal has a long record of environmental violations and labor abuses. This is a bad actor company that is now hovering near bankruptcy because of its own poor business decisions, and it does not deserve the right to mine our precious forests. Please keep Arch Coal out of any roadless areas!"

Bonnie Engelhardt MA 02653

"I grew up in the 'cut hills' of WVa and have seen the devastation left behind when coal companies take 'THEIR' product and leave the rest for us for eternity!"

Randy England

"As a Colorado resident since 1998 and an outdoor enthusiast, I am opposed to this happening. Keep the forest in tact and don't let corporate greed compromise our planet."

Phyllis England KY 41005-9795

"There is no profit worth the pollution to the air our children and grandchildren and the worlds families, will breath. Stop this act that will have such a devastating effect on our planet."

Juliet Englander PA 19106-4308

"We are responsible for taking care of our forests together. Please protect our trees that help us all breathe easier. Think long term!"

Kathy Englar CA 96161-6452

"I can't believe we are investing in coal and allowing private industry to destruct our natural assets."

Diane English GA 30809-4294

"Shame, shame, shame on companies taking again habitat for animals who are less and less safe places to live. Forest Service land, isn't it my land when it comes right down to it."

Cheryl Engram Francis IL 62920-3615

"We need to stay vigilant...thank you for leading the way.CEF."

Sally Ennis  
FL 33957-6123

"Keep roadless forests pristine. We don't need more pollution from coal. Sally"

Martha Ennis NM 87106-2113

"Leave it in the ground until we are wiser and can use it well."

Jean Eno  
NH 03840-2205

"No more investing in coal!"

Diane Ensign AZ 85704-5924

"we need clean power. There are other choices that don't ruin our forests & give us pollution."

Dianne Ensign OR 97219-7655

"Preventing more damage from climate change, protecting wildlife habitat, and preserving what pristine roadless areas we still have left are three issues of tremendous importance to me. We only have one

planet, and allowing coal mining on roadless forests is a regressive action that should not be allowed."

John And Gail Entwistle WA 98926-6828

"Allowing the establishment of more roads in Colorado is proof that the interests of Corporations do indeed preempt those of the larger population of the State and of the US. The destruction of even more forest and wildlife

habitat is morally indefensible."

Apollo Environmental Artist CA 92340-2113

"This is PURE GREED at it's ugliest. Tearing up PUBLIC land to create profit for an industry that is pumping tons of toxic chemicals into our atmosphere. Most of this Toxic Coal will be exported to third world countries in the name of progress. The beauty of our planet should be held in respect as well as reverence and awe! As the caretakers of this precious jewel called Earth, it is our duty to become more harmonious with our environment; for what we hold in our hands is a trust for future generations. What we do today, creates tomorrow. My Uncle was a Forest Ranger. He would be embarrassed and ashamed of the agency he once held so dear. He once told me that "We are here to protect the forests, the rivers and the wild animals from harm.""

Karla Eoff

NM 87557-2336

"Please protect our precious forests. We need to preserve the habitat of thousands of animals. Once they're gone, it would take hundreds of years to restore them."

Selene Epeards IN 47403-4525

"Stop tearing up or land for coal. We are going for clean air an the sun for heat an light. It's cleaner energy for all of us. Thanjs"

Jeannette Episcopo VA 22405-3350

"Using coal is on the decline. It makes no sense to despoil yet another beautiful piece of our Earth Mother."

Cherie Epley FL 33767-1134

"Really? You want to bulldoze forest that removes CO2 pollution to mine a bunch of coal that adds CO2 to the atmosphere? Can't you see the ,math doesn't add up? 2 negatives really does equal a big fat negative."

Thomas Epling WV 24927-9153

"It's time to stop coal barons from taking away what belongs to the citizens of the US."

Lois Eppinger CT 06825-1708

"we need our pristine forests a lot more than we need Arch Coal."

Dara Epstein GA 30328-2845

"Once gone the forest doesn't grow back overnight. It's value far exceeds what might be extracted in coal."

Gabriel Epstein MD 20906-2035

"Dear sirs/Mss, I ask you more for my children and grandchildren to please not reopen a loophole in the roadless forest rules. Please, please, keep the forest's carbon in growing trees and coal in the

ground. While solar and wind energy cannot yet fill all our energy needs, coal is the worst way to fill that need.

Thank you for considering my and others requests."

Luanne Epstein MI 49512-2963

"Sacrifice a natural forest for coal mining that sends pollution causing gases, etc into the air we all eventually breathe? You've got to be kidding! The almighty dollar doesn't belong here. Keep ARCH COAL OUT!"

Judy Epstein MN 55408-4269

"Leave the pristine forests we still have in America alone. Let them be as they are - pristine."

Lyra Erath

"Stop destroying our pristine wilderness and habitate to benefit a polluting corporation."

John Erben AK 99802

"Stop subsidizing and enabling the mining of dirty coal on public lands. We already have a glut of coal supply, depressed prices, eroding topsoil and bad air. If coal companies had to pay for the actual impacts of coal production, they could not turn a profit. Nor does coal fit in with global treaties moving towards a carbon free economy. There is no such thing as clean coal. Take the industry off life support and let this dirty sector die."

Carol Erdek

FL 33410-5804

"I grew up in Taylor (Scranton area) PA. Needless to say my parents were forced out of the family home because of mine fires; churches were all closed down as were schools (and we were also lucky to have a burning culm dump in the town - grew up with the smell of sulphur daily - even worse on rainy days). This particular mine was operated by the Moffat coal company. Coal mines are no longer a necessity. Quite polluting our planet. Keep the fossil fuels in the ground where they belong."

Charlene Erdman CA 93306-6049

"Our climate is already out of control. Floods, fires, freezing temps and heat waves including draughts. The glaciers r melting. We need to stop destroying our earth. We also need to consider the wildlife that will be effected, and coal is not a clean source of energy."

David Erdreich CA 94702-1703 "no, No, NO!!!"

Rick Erhart

"Stop ruining the forest, I live in Colorado and I hate hearing about this kind of devastation here in my state."  
Marty Erhart TX 78750-8138

"Do not let this tragedy take place! Please protect this land that is the habitat for so many species of wildlife. Not to mention all of the pollution Arch Coal will produce if this goes forward."

Mandy Erickson

"I have spent a lot of time hiking, camping and skiing in the Colorado forests. Please don't ruin them with coal mining."

Jon Erickson CA 95820-3155

"Enabling Arch Coal, adding to climate destruction and destroying wildlife habitat is a LOSE./LOSE/LOSE

proposition."

Leland Erickson CA 94043-2650

"To continue to burn fossil fuels in the face of global warming is simply insane! Get a grip! Have you people no shame?!"

David Erickson HI 96708-5304

"Enough is enough stop destroying forests for something that needs to be phased out of our energy grid."

Michael Erickson IL 60805-1125

"Dear People, to cut down trees in a pristine forest for a fossil fuel that we don't need is insane. No loopholes, please. Do the moral thing. Go solar via wind. Coal is a zombie. Thanks. :-)"

Stacey Erickson Mccarthy OR 97005-3953

"please protect our lands!"

Marie-louise Ericson NY 10601-3529

"DO YOUR JOB AND SERVE AND PROTECT US. THE GOP ARE IN THE POCKETS OR ARMS, COAL, OIL AND GAS AS WELL AS MEAT AND DAIRY, PHARMA, BANKING ETC. ALL THE VERY GROUPS HARMING AND DESTROYING OUR HEALTH AND OUR GOD GIVEN EARTH FOR MONIES THEY HIDE OVERSEAS. THEY'VE EMPOWERED CHINA WITH THEIR OUTSOURCING GREED, CLOSING DOWN AND BANKRUPTING WHOLE TOWNS AND CITIES AND THEY WON'T STOP UNTIL THEY DENY OUR VOTES, DUMB US DOWN AND GET US ADDICTED TO PHARMACEUTICALS TO KEEP OUT OF THEIR WAY! THEY ARE TRYING TO DECIMATE S.S, MEDICARE, ACA, EDUCATION, DESTROYING ALL OF OUR REGULATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTIONS LIKE CLEAN AIR WATER ACTS, SIDE WITH PESTICIDE MANUFACTURERS AND STEROID PRODUCERS \CAUSING US A MULTITUDE OF ILLNESSES AND CHILDHOOD DISEASES FROM THE ENDOCRINE SYSTEM OUTWARDS INCLUDING SEXUALITY CONFUSION IN CHILDREN AND ADULTS. LOOK AT THE DOCUMENTARY OF A DAIRY 'FARMER' MAN WHO STARTED GROWING BREASTS AND LOST HIS MIND, HIS FAMILY AND EVERYTHING BECAUSE OF THE TOXINS HE WAS EXPOSED TO THAT HE GAVE THE POOR COWS! WE NEED TO SHOW AMERICANS WHO IS WORKING FOR THEM AND WHO IS WORKING FOR THE BAD GUYS TO LINE THEIR POCKETS AND HIDE THEIR MONIES OVERSEAS! THEY EVEN BLOCKED THE LOOPHOLE KEEPING US SAFE FROM PEOPLE ON OUR TERROR WATCH LIST SO THAT THEY CAN STILL BUY WEAPONRY AND ARMS HERE AND KILL US! THIS IS THE SO CALLED GOP - !"

Anne Erikson VT 05039-9773

"This is a horrible mistake."

Peter Eriksson MD 20851-2020

"Bulldozing pristine roadless forests to mine coal on a planet ravaged by climate change is insanity! Stop Arch Coals destructive plans for coal mining in Colorado and keep the roadless rules intact."

Amber Erkiletian VT 05001-0276

"please do not open the roadless lands in Colorado to mining. They are too important for the tourism, the wildlife and the environment. We do not need more coal, we need clean energy."

Thomas Erkinen MI 48104-4514

"This is an important issue and must stop!"

Larry Erlichman CA 91362-1510

"It is time to take responsibility for our actions. At this point in time, it does not make sense to allow for the opening of these roads. No more mines!"

Norman & Monique Erlichman NY 13820-3224

"Do not destroy nature to fill the pockets of this wealthy group. There is no urgent need for more coal at the expense of more of our natural resources."

Jon Erlichman WA 98103-3413

"Please don't be traitors. We rely on you to act as the front line against corporate treason and terrorism. Right now we are up against these terrorists disguised in suits and ties. They must be stopped. They can't be reasoned with. They think treason is liberty and terrorism is business. The time is now to stand up and say no more."

Patrick Erman

"I have been in love with this area of Colorado all of my life. I worked my entire undergraduate career to get into graduate school at WSCU, if this clearing of forest, and coal mining begins in this area, I will sadly have to turn down my recent acceptance. This isn't what I fell in love with and I don't want to see this pristine forest ruined."

Kristin Erman MO 64804-1417

"Our government should not be supporting the coal industry."

Cathie Ernst AZ 85262-8913

"This is wrong."

John Ersik

SC 29588-6754

"This disgusts me that money is more important than a clean planet for our children!"

Barbara Ervin SC 29638-9115

"It's time to get away from dirty fossil fuels and protect our wilderness. The demand for coal is declining. Why destroy forest land when the world is looking for clean, renewable energy?"

John Eschen WA 99133-9749

"We do not need any more coal mines, coal burning is no longer wanted, nor needed."

Hector Escobar FL 33193-5522

"Coal mining kills the earth. Or when have you seen forest or flowers where mining is. People only care about money and do not care what they destroy. And earth is our home."

Casey Escutia

"Please do not continue bulldozing the acres of land in Colorado. We need all the foliage we can get. It cleans the air and is home to many organisms that work hard day and night to keep Earth healthy and alive."

George Eshleman NY 11372-5377

"We must stop raping our pristine forestland"

Lynn Eskenazi

NY 11561

"We shouldn't be destroying our amazing environment- we can very much survive safely without COAL - using other safer energy systems."

Phillip Esposito FL 33803-8350

"We have got to protect our wildlife. This is the same type of destruction that the emperor of Japan wanted to stop many years ago during their civilization boom. He wanted to preserve the ecosystem and today because of his efforts of conservation there still today USA beautiful ecosystem in Japan. I want the US to follow the lead on not destroying pristine woodland for selfish gain of energy when we already have natural gas reserves to power our country for hundreds of years without doing so. We have so many acres of unused oil lands that could be tapped for oil in the Midwest. There is no reason to destroy a beautiful ecosystem that is flourishing in one of the final places that haven't been RUINED by human activity and it needs to be saved."

Thomas And June Esposito NV 89434-1506

"This is a very unwise thing that Arch Coal is trying to do. It is bad for the forest, for the planet and for everyone except for Arch Coal."

Joshua Essoe CA 90024-3060

"There are some who would destroy our natural environment and landscape for money at the expense of our future -- don't let them succeed. "Anything for the almighty dollar" isn't a sustainable way to live, it's shortsighted, ignorant, irresponsible, and dangerous. As humans, as we grow we learn the ability to plan and calculate repercussions, to understand what our actions do and how they affect things; the oil and coal industries are like children with no regard for anything but what they want in the moment -- for what they want RIGHT NOW. This is why children need parents to teach and guide and help them become productive, caring members of our society. Don't allow Arch Coal to reap profits while adding huge amounts of climate pollution to our atmosphere, all at the expense of wild, roadless forest and all the creatures living within it."

Carlene Estacion AZ 86339-0882

"We need to change our energy sources to renewal to prevent further climate change. Say no to coal!"

Elizabeth Estes CA 95456-0493

"If we are going to curb climate warming this coal must stay in the ground. Our forests are worth far more than the coal in the ground and serve to moderate the incredible damage we have done to the environment already."

Want air like China? Ask anyone there what they think of mining more of what makes it impossible to breath there."

E.H. Estes CA 94041

"No roads in the forest!"

Toni Estrada MI 48326-2533

"Why does our country continue to destroy what is left of the pristine forests and other priceless lands? Don't you realize that this will also affect your own children, grandchildren and other family members in the future? Don't you at least care about them (if not the rest of us)?"

Craig Etchison WV 26719-0691

"Coal is killing the planet. Why would you let a company extract more coal from "our" national forests????"

Sarah Etzler

KS 67042-1560

"I oppose the proposal to reopen the coal mining loophole! Please reject and keep wild forest the way it is. We can never get the beauty of it back if we destroy it."

Shari Eubanks CA 91601-3629

"I am almost speechless about this possibility. Haven't the coal industry done enough damage to our land and people. They come in, blow up and destroy; then leave us sick and planet polluted."

Jennifer Eubanks CA 96150-4419

"We cannot keep destroying this planet for our own selfishness!"

Linda Eustis

MD 21218-1445

"We are losing forests to fires, disease, pests and global warming. The Forest Service should be doing whatever it can to increase forestlands and reduce carbon emissions. Keep forestland coal in the ground."

Janie Evans

"Dear Forest Service, Please do not allow Arch Coal or any other company to damage the forests on our public lands, especially where there are no roads and would need bulldozing. We need to slow and very soon stop extraction of coal, oil and natural gas as we are able to replace our energy needs sustainably and reduce carbon and methane emissions while preventing water degradation. Janie Evans 1061 Aaron Cool Dr, Cool CA 95614"

Steve Evans

"please protect our forests"

Jessica Evans CA 95060-4227

"65 miles of road cut through 30 square miles of roadless forest. Thousands of acres of pristine Colorado wilderness permanently destroyed by mining. All so that we can increase climate change, generate dirty energy, and so that Arch Coal can profit. Where is the benefit to anyone but Arch Coal? There is none.

This project is wrong. Please do not approve this proposal."

Audrey Evans CA 92860-1549

"Corporate profits must never be favored over our forests. Preserving trees will enhance the health of the environment for all life forms while mining coal and the use of its products will have the opposite effect. Keep the loopholes in the Colorado Roadless ule closed. Thank you."

Marsue Evans CA 92116-2865

"please save the forests!!!!!!!!!!"

Laura Evans

CA 93023-2811

"Stop the raping of our only world, she can't take much ore..."

Stuart Evans FL 32903-2455

"We will pay a steep price if we continue to destroy our forests. Add this to global warming and we can really destroy Earth's environment."

Paul Evans

MD 21001 4213

"We need to leave there forest alone.Keep them as natural and pristine as possible"

Deborah A Evans VA 23236-1375

"I know you probably already are in formed. But maybe like myself you may not be aware of, our forest help cool our planet! Nyou'd probably agree that is a wise idea since our planet is warming so much that the ice burg's in the Artic are significantly melting! Please, help the forest to to remain as is. A lot of us will thank you,

too. Kindest regards, Deborah A. Evans"

Susan Evans WA 98807-0097

"Please do not open roadless wilderness to a coal company. To mine. We must keep all fossil fuels in the ground in order to avoid catastrophic climate change. Also all roadless areas must stay that way for the preservation of wilderness. Thank you."

Luci Evanston CA 94066-3744

"Please, no loophole!"

Frank Evelhoch, li PA 17050-8201

"With coal being the biggest pollutant energy source our country uses why would you want to ruin a forested area to get more of it?"

Eric Evensen FL 32955-2644

"I've enjoyed that area back in my traveling days and it is gorgeous ! Please leave it and other pristine areas alone for your corporate greed."

Mary Everest

"Mining for coal should be off the table as an option. Burning coal emits lethal toxins into the air and accelerates global warming. Stop caving in to the fossil fuel corporations and listen to the people. We don't want more coal!"

Theresa Everett

"PLEASE...NO ROADLESS BULLDOZING LOOPHOLE FOR ARCH COAL!!!!!!!!!"

Mike Everett TX 79013-0086

"We don't want/need no stinking roads in Our Forests, especially for coal."

Kathy Everett WV 25411-3758

"THIS DESTRUCTIVE AND DISGUSTING PROPOSAL MUST BE STOPPED! LEAVE THE ROADLESS FORESTS ALONE!"

Craig Everhart PA 15213

"Our forests are irreplaceable. There's no compelling reason to give them to a COAL company to further rape the planet."

Kathryn Everson OH 43209

"There are too many passive/clean energy options out there now to put up with this kind of blatant stupidity. The loss of these forests would be irrevocable. Please, do not let them be destroyed."

Bears Everywhere

VA 22960-3804

"Please preserve our public lands. Say no to coal."

Eric Evinczik NY 14222-1115

"Trashing a beautiful forest for coal that's going to heat up the planet seems like a pretty bad idea...."

Linda Evinger IN 47720-7113

"Preserving our forests means preventing use of the minerals in them. Please do not allow damage to our forests for the sake of coal!"

Nancie Evoniuk CA 91364-4432

"Coal is on the way out! Stop Arch from destroying more untouched land....leave it in the ground!"

Mitchell Ewing FL 33945-0380

"Coal is not our future. At this point it should stay in the ground."

William Ewing FL 33433

"The need for coal is diminishing as alternative cleaner sources of energy are employed. There is a greater need for natural untouched land than there is a need for coal"

Debra Ewing FL 33433-6759

"There is a greater need for natural untouched land than there is a need for additional mined coal."

Wynne Ewing GA 30501-1445

"Destroying our environment will destroy the health of all living creatures."

James Ewing NY 11976-2913

"please stop this unnecessary destruction.James Ewing"

Joan Exner

ND 58401-3504

"Stop the destruction of our natural forests for big oil profits!! Enough is enough! Stop this rape of nature!"

Kaye Exo

OR 97211-4639

"Wild, roadless forests should be protected for habitat value and for climate concerns. I think that's what the

Forest Service should be about."

Anna Eyler

MD 21727-7907

"OK it is time to stop and think about someone and somethings other than your self's for a change. I know in your small brains you think you'r doing good but your not."

Richard Eynon PA 19085-1408

"Leave dirty coal in the ground and stop ravaging our forests."

Claudia Ezinicki MA 01523-3072

"Leave it in the ground."

Margaret F

NC 27707-1511

"Please stop this, it is just greedy craziness. Surely you know this already."

Ryan F OR 97202

"Stop Arch Coal from bulldozing thousands of acres of pristine roadless forest in Colorado in order to mine more than 170 million tons of coal. DO NOT reopen a loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule that will make it possible for Arch Coal to reap profits while adding 130 million tons of climate pollution to our atmosphere, causing up to \$13 billion in damage to the world's economy and environment. The climate costs of this proposal are simply too high. Stop up to 65 miles of road from being bulldozed across 19,000 acres of roadless forest, degrading habitat for black bear and elk, goshawk, lynx and trout...all to benefit one corporation. The Forest Service should not allow Arch Coal to reap profits while adding huge amounts of climate pollution to our atmosphere, all at the expense of wild, roadless forest!"

Kiki F.

"CEASE & DESIST ruining of precious forest NOW! This land is OUR land, NOT YOURS to setry all around where once ONLY BEAUTY Abounds...."

Pam Facer

MI 49120-3948

"We have already given much of our forest. It needs to stop."

Carol Facey

MA 01109-1111

"Hmmm, Oxygen, and eco systems that support All life, vs destruction, pollution, and no support to life. I vote for life!"

Laurel Facey MA 01349-1313

"We need to leave all fossil fuels underground!"

D. Fachko

CA 90621-3324

"No more insanity! Climate change is a SERIOUS issue and if we don't stop using coal and oil, we as a species and wildlife on the planet will no longer continue to exist in the future!"

Dirk Faegre

ME 04607-3034

"Come on now!! This is ridiculous. We're moving AWAY from coal. It's dirty and contributes waaay too much to CO2 levels. The actions of the Forest Service should be exactly the opposite of what they're doing here."

John Fago

VT 05032-9796

"keep it in the ground. this is public land and should be kept in trust for future generations, not trashed for short term profit that is destroying our children's future. Time to draw a line in the sand and stop all carbon based fuels on public land."

Patricia Fair

OH 45036-9000

"We must change the way we generate electricity. Adding more coal resources to the market place works against all efforts to move away from coal generated electricity. Our future depends on encouraging the use of renewable, carbon neutral energy sources. Don't undercut this effort by allowing Arch Coal to mine in roadless forests."

Jennifer Fair PA 19104-2512

"PLEASE reject the coal mining loophole -- now and in the future. Thank you."

Patricia Fairbrother CA 90034-6226

"The destruction of protected forest to provide profit for a Coal mining company would set a terrible precedent and would make a mockery of protection of our wild lands."

Stephanie Fairchild OH 43725-9560

"Please don't destroy more forests and subsequently air and water by mining coal! Rather, invest in clean sources of energy!"

Sandra Faircloth OH 44842

"Please leave our forest and woodlands alone. We are losing so much of our woodland to blight and population growth that we really should find other ways to get the coal from the earth. Coal has a negative impact on the earth please don't make it worse than it should be."

Caroline Fairless NH 03287-4642

"I know this territory. Once destroyed, it can never be restored to its current irreplaceable value which can never be erased in terms of beauty or product"

Mary Fairlie

TX 76502-1142

"It is time to start thinking about what we are doing to our environment for future generations. It is also time to be converting our energy to alternative sources."

Marcia Fairman VA 22520-8730

"We need to keep our roadless areas clean and roadless for the future. Solar and wind is the way to go."

Kamil Faizi

FL 32765-5114

"Help stop Arch Coal from bulldozing thousands of acres of pristine roadless forest in Colorado in order to mine more than 170 million tons of coal."

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"Please protect forest. It protects us."

Victoria Falaguerra CT 06460-4551

"At a time when we need to be moving toward alternative energy sources, the last thing we need to do is open up protected forests for coal extraction! This is simply unacceptable."

Ruth Neuwald Falcon WA 98125-3115

"The proposal to pave roadless forest for Arch Coal is a terrible one. Do not allow this polluting destruction to occur."

Joseph Falkenstein OH 44278-1674

"Coal is on its last legs as a energy source. So, why allow coal companies to mine coal in national forests?"

Jean Fallon NY 10545

"The choice is for the safety and protection of our planet and life on the planet... Our remaining large natural forest areas are essential to help protect Earth from disastrous rise in temperature. They should

not be up for sale to the largest bidder!"

Rudi Faltus

CA 94131-2606

"We need forests, not coal, as we have better ways of producing energy. Do not reopen the loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule."

Rose Fanger WA 99205-2766

"This is your chance to benefit the world's overburdened atmosphere by keeping carbon in the ground, plus preserving the forests that absorb pollution. Coal companies scavenge our land and wreck ecosystems. We cannot afford them."

Jo Anne Fannin OH 44094

"With each tree destroyed, we have less oxygen to breath and more coal burned means more poison in the air."

Emily Fanning MD 20737-1115

"NO COAL MINING. PROTECT OUR ROADLESS FORESTS. THANKS"

Susan Fanning NJ 08742-2745

"Please stop Arch Coal from bulldozing thousands of acres of pristine roadless forest in Colorado in order to mine more than 170 million tons of coal"

Barbara G Fant AL 35213-3118

"Why would the U. S. Forest Service in the Obama administration even consider allowing a private coal company to destroy public forest and wildlife habitat for the mining of dirty coal? This is definitely not one of the "many uses" (including clear-cut logging) that the federal agency, as our steward of forests and wildlife, should allow. Climate change is a global crisis that the Forest Service, as much as any other agency, should be

working to solve, not exacerbate. Thank you for making this your overriding goal."

Veronika Farago NY 10530-2304

"Our forests are invaluable. Coal is an inefficient and outdated source of energy- we need to protect our lands and invest in other energy sources to remain the world's foremost powerful nation and set an example to the rest of the world. We can do this!"

Rena Farah

NY 11021-3544

"It's a destructive proposal for our future."

Nancy Farha KS 67211-5402

"We are supposed to be cutting Fossil Fuels, not cutting down forests!! STOP THIS RIGHT NOW! Coal is the dirtiest of all!! NO! NO!"

Simon Farias

"The gluttony and madness surrounding fossil fuel consumption must end. The denuding and eradication of our environment can no longer be tolerated. Alternative energies must be put to the forefront of our consciousnesses, anything else (including this ridiculous giveaway) comes at great peril to the Earth and all who inhabit it."

Joe Faris

CA 90405-4710

"Extended mining of fossil fuels, creating new roadways to potential new mining sites must now stop."

Holly Farish-hunt FL 32608-7174

"Someone with power MUST start protecting Mother Nature that we all depend on. Coal contaminates the environment and the future should utilize clean energy. Please do NOT let this loophole be reopened."

Kenneth Farley FL 32174-8478

"It is way past the time to put this antiquated fuel to sleep for good. With so much clean energy available it is just a matter of time to loosen the grip of the so called big guys. You are on the slippery slope.

Choose a clean way or lose. Can't you guys see that?"

Stacie Farley LA 70737-6759

"We only have one earth. We are responsible for the condition she is in now! So we are responsible for taking action to undo all of our mistakes. Hopefully as we do this, we are reminded how to be responsible for our own individual actions. Be reminded "every action has an equal or opposite reaction" so people use you're head and your heart. You have a conscience, choose to listen. PLEASE!!!"

Stephen Farmer OH 45662-8735

"Don't allow the destruction of forest for something that should be left in the ground. Life on this planet is to important!"

Pam Farnham IL 61761-3928

"It's past time to stop this insanity....we are losing the planet...our home. Switch all priorities to saving what we haven't destroyed and block such misguided actions as bulldozing pristine forests we still have"

Margaret Farnsworth CT 06854-4821

"Deforestation is not a joke. It is real damage to Mother Earth."

Juno Farnsworth IN 47302-2815

"I'm seeing far too much lately about attempts to collect fossil fuels from protected natural areas. It should go without saying that those areas be left alone!"

Ron Farnsworth MA 01474-1122

"Destroying what critical forest is left is a supreme crime in my book."

Gina Faro

VT 05301-6455

"Stop all coal mining period. It is so over, we don't need coal and it destroys the environment, which you don't care about and people's health, which you also don't care about. The coal industry is completely unethical."

Anne Farr

VA 22314-4411

"Besides doing tremendous damage to the environment, allowing Arch Coal to bulldoze pristine forests will set a terrible precedent. We have already done irreparable damage to the earth. We must reverse course if we are to leave a habitable earth to future generations."

Barry Farrell

"Ban coal while your at it ....."

Adam Farrell V4N 4V3

"Its terrible that mining companies have no vision of the future. Maybe they will listen when there is NOTHING left!"

Dolores Farrell AK 99835-9528

"How can a US agency acknowledge that coal is a major contributor to environmental damage and press for building roads to extract more coal at the same time? Even an impaired individual can identify the flaw in that type of thinking!"

Jim Farrell

AK 99701-5025

"PLEASE DO ALL YOU CAN TO PROTECT THE REMAINING WILDERNESS IN THIS GREAT BEUTIFUL LAND OF OURS. WILDERNESS IS PRICELESS."

Luke Farrell

AR 72015-1472

"I urge you to protect are forests from big coal and not allow them to bulldose them to reap up big profits from mining coal that causes global warming."

Nancy Farrell WA 98406-4804

"Please think of the problems with our planet that new coal mines would cause. No more mining, ESPECIALLY in our forests, which clean the air!"

J Farrin

MT 59715-7610

"Mo need for coal... do not need more CO w. Stop this giveaway"

Peter Farris

NY 12765-0607

"With all that we know about the effects of coal on our atmosphere, why would this even be an option?"

Mary Fasano NY 11218-1201

"Building roads on pristine forest lands opens the wilderness for destruction. Why should our Arch Coal or any company be allowed to despoil our national forests for their profits?"

Cary Fassler

NY 13493-2124

"Companies should not be allowed to rip apart the public's forests! ---especially for dirty coal!"

Wendy Fast

NY 14437-9140

"Reopening loopholes to trash our environment along with our forest is at the very least counterproductive, at at worst, wicked."

Andrea Faste WA 98117-4134

"It's time to keep it in the ground. No more coal/carbon in the atmosphere."

Heather Fastiggi PA 18326-7946

"Enough destruction. Enough loss of habitat, of wilderness, of untouched places, all for the sake of fossil fuels and the almighty dollar. For the sake of the world and those of us who live here, support the clean energy that is ready to come to the fore."

Roger Faucher

FL 33702-2748

"If the US Forest Service won't protect the forests, then why do we need it?"

Fred Faudie

VT 05055-9442

"Growing up during the 1950's in rural Pennsylvania, we were taught about the dangers of strip mining to the environment, but greed won out there. The greedy have never remedied the damage they created. It is long past time to put a stop to the profiteering at the expense of American children and those in the rest of the world."

Linda Faulhaber NY 10024-5141

"The climate costs are too high. The forest service should be support efforts to find alternative sources of energy through wind and solar power, not destroying what little wilderness we have left."

Patricia Faulk MI 48038-4423

"I want trees not mercury producing coal."

Don And Joyce Faulk TX 78749-3401

"Stop bulldozing trees to get to your dirty coal. The environment loses on both accounts!"

Sarah Faulkner CA 96148

"We have so few areas of pristine, roadless wilderness. Is there any place we can we just leave alone? In particular, we should not be bulldozing trees for COAL! This is ridiculous given what we know about climate change. This carbon needs to be left in the ground, and if we are going to mine more, let's do it in already-affected areas."

Cliff Faul

NC 28779-9414

"Please leave the forrest."

Mark Faulstich FL 33070-2119

"Hasn't coal mining already done enough horrific devastation to the American landscape? Please do not allow this destruction by a dying industry."

Sherrill Faunce NJ 08057-3004

"Please leave the forest alone. It is home to many beautiful creatures and should not be disturbed!"

Sandy Faust

FL 33609-3805

"We need to move away from dirty and destructive coal , and save and protect our forests, for all of us Humans and the rest of the worlds inhabitants. the job of the Forest service is to protect and preserve our forests, not exploit them."

Fauna-june Fauth OR 97112-9493

"Coal mining is an outdated technology, a fossil fuel relic of devastation and destruction. Coal mining corporations have no place sharing our roadless forests with recreational seekers, wildlife, and nature. They are destroyers who pollute our air, water, and lands. Keep them far away from our national forests and any other public lands. We must move beyond dirty fossil fuels and into the 21st century with renewable energies. Coal mining is so "yesteryear.""

Judy Faxon

"Please think long term. Is this damage worth destroying land needed for future generations to survive."

Joseph Fazekas MD 20607-9782

"Would the founder of the Forest Service, Pinchot and T.R. regarded this abuse of resources as wise stewardship? Greed over future generations! For Shame !1"

Josan Feathers CA 91941-7024

"As a Registered Civil Engineer, I ask that you STOP Arch Coal from bulldozing thousands of acres of pristine roadless forest in Colorado in order to mine more than 170 million tons of coal."

Jennifer Fechner CA 94702-1907

"I was born in Colorado and a lot of my family still live there. Not only is the dirty coal bad for climate change-- which IS THE BIG DEAL--taking coal out of the ground in Colorado really will diminish a lot of what is great about Colorado. LEAVE IT IN THE GROUND! Thank you for your consideration. The future is counting on you to make the best judgment."

Rev. Barnaby Feder VT

"At a time when we need to keep as much coal as possible from being extracted and burned, it boggles the mind that you are looking for loopholes to help ruin remote public land. Just say no!"

Karen Fedorov VA 22712-7844

"More solar, more wind...NO MORE dirty energy. Let's phase it out."

Penelope Fedro MT 59715-4876

"We must not wreck our natural environment with bulldozers to make access to more coal, which creates global warming and other harmful things to we humans and animals."

Don Fedyk

MA 01450-2032

"Coal Mining seriously Beijing can't breath because of coal burning pollution and we continue to mine the worst carbon polluter? Stop already."

Cindy Fehmel MO 63139

"Please do not reopen the loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule. There should be no mining in an area set aside for wildlife and recreation. Thank you."

Richard Fehr GA 30277-1941

"Over a hundred nations are coming together to address the very serious problem of climate change, in large part due to our use of fossil fuels, especially burning coal. So it does not make any sense to create any more source of coal such as those proposed one by Arch Coal in Colorado. In addition the main benefit of trees is using CO2 and producing O2, so bulldozing thousands of acres of Colorado forest to get coal makes Arch Coal's proposal also makes not a bit of sense. Please, do the right thing and deny the approval of the loophole

in the Colorado Road Rule."

Fay Feichtmeir CA 94402-4055

"I don't understand why anyone would think this is a good idea. Please don't allow whoever is pushing this idea to have their way. It is not in our best interest. Thank you for reading my letter."

Marvin Feil

NJ 07860-2430

"Once pristine roadless forest is gone, it is gone forever. We owe it to our children to let them enjoy this beauty. Also, burning coal is bad for the future of human beings."

Dayna Feist

NC 28805-1719

"Actually, I find it hard to believe that we are still having this conversation. World leaders are struggling in Paris as we speak to find a way to remove climate pollution, and you're pushing coal!"

Mary Anna Feitler IN 46706-9521

"I have a hard time believing we would even consider making a road in a roadless area for a private company for mining coal of all things. Don't do it."

Michael Felber WA 98368-8746

"Please help stop global warming by not allowing Arch Coal to clear thousands of acres of roadless forest in order to mine the coal under the forests in Colorado."

Pat Felcan

AZ 85024-1734

"Stop this now!!!"

Peter Feldhammer ME 04222

"stop"

Mark Feldman CA 95401-9137

"The FOREST servis is planning to reopenA CORPORATE LOOPHOLE in the Colorado Roadless Rule that will make it possible for Arch Coal to reap profits while adding 130 MILLION TONS OF CLIMATE POLLUTION to our atmosphere, AUSING UP TO to \$13 BILLION DAMAGE TO THE WORLD'S ECONOMY AND ENVIRONMENT. THIS IS ANOTHER BLATANT OBVIOUS PUSH BY CORPORATE LOBBYING/BRIBERY \$\$\$\$\$ POWER MEANT TO FAVOR THE MINING INDUSTRY AS THEY WRITE THE LAWS FOR THEIR GREEDY SELFISH INTERESTS WITH THE FOREST SERVICE ALLOWING IT TO HAPPEN AS THEY SAY YES TO ENVIROMENTAL DESTRUCTION!"

Tracy Feldman NC 27713-2532

"I am an ecologist and educator--these forests are our natural heritage, and once destroyed, we will never get them back. Please protect them."

Paul Feldman OH 43085-3727

"Over the years I have experienced the wild areas of Colorado as have our children. I want to protect such areas for our grandchildren."

Alice Feldman TN 37830-4001

"To the Forest Service: You must not give in to the coal intersts, who don't care a whit about the environment. Must money trump (sorry) everything? To nature's Arch rival: Climate change is happening, whether you acknowledge it or not. Don't feed it with coal pollution. And leave the beautiful, pristine roadless forests alone!"

Linda Feletar CA 95437-4538

"The natural beauty of Colorado opposed to the dirty harmful production of coal...it's a no brainer!"

James Felizola WA 98502-4735

"Dirty coal should be left in the ground."

Cynthia Felter PA 19565-1514

"No more dirty fuel expansion!"

Wendy Feltham WA 98368-9271

"The bulldozing of 65 miles of road would destroy habitat for precious animals that deserve and require protection. We should do everything we can to preserve these 19,000 acres and use sustainable methods for logging."

Lisa Feltis-german MT 59718-6703

"Close the loophole once and for all - we (the citizens of this amazing country) are exhausted in constantly rebuffing the attempts of single-profit corporations abusing our lands and heritage. Not a single person, flora, or fauna will ultimately benefit from this exploitation, outside the Arch Coal corporation - listen to the people,

assume responsibility for the trust placed in you to protect those that either cannot be heard or deemed too insignificant to be acknowledged, and do your duty. Kind regards, Lisa Feltis-German"

Joshua Felton

"Have you ever seen the aftermath of doing nothing, the difference in nature, the ones stand tall and alive and do not disturb. Put yourself in earth's shoes, you corporate coal fueled fiend."

Laureen Felton CA 94062-2920

"No more coal. As a nation we need to promote cleaner energy development. Please keep the Colorado Roadless Rule as it is. Reject the coal mining loophole to the Colorado Roadless Rule."

Robert Fener VA 24521-4901

"Every one who is aware of the scientific data will say, leave the coal in the ground. Why is this even a question. And yes, I live in a solar powered house."

Bette-burr Fenley NC 27517-8500

"please leave the roadless areas roadless"

Janis Fensch WA 98226-5628

"Please please please remember you are in the Service of the Forest,,not Arch Coal. How could you even consider helping a private company make profits at the expense of "America the Beautiful." Don't make us become "America the Ugly.""

Tammy Fenske MT 59254-1532

"No more coal mining.! Thank you for reading my letter."

Karl Fenske

PA 16117-1920

"It's time to stop this Stupidity"

Lois Fenstemaker WA 98107-3745

"Protect the forest and all the creatures that live in the forest. Allowing these remaining intact

environments to be left undisturbed is best for all concerns. Destroying for dirty coal mining does not fit into the need of a future without fossil fuel."

William Fenwick CA 95076

"We are going to renewable energy, why waste money on one of the dirtiest most polluting energy sources that,s unfortunately still available."

Bill Ferellec

"Please let's stop this madness. Fossil fuels must be replaced with renewable energy. Wind and solar have to be the future"

Jeri Fergus

CA 95560-0511

"Protect The People & The Environment, not the corporations!"

Melissa Ferguson MD 20901-1720

"We desperately need to reduce carbon in our atmosphere - if we humans are going to survive. Do the right thing and protect our forests and our economy. Protect our future and stop Arch Coal."

Pamela Ferguson SC 29412-2487

"Save our land and animals for the future. Added coal will destroy the forest ecosystem and pollute our air."

Mary Ferm

WA 98110-3118

"We should not be polluting our country and contributing to climate change especially by exploiting national assets like roadless forests. Roadless forests now have a different benefit for our nation-- as carbon sinks."

Pablo Fernandez FL 33183-5049

"This is not development. This is destruction. Stop coal mining. It is not necessary."

Ynez Fernandez HI 96793-2642

"Isn't there going to be a place where humans and animals can go to listen to the natural sounds of Nature. No mining or motorcycles on forest roads!"

Marta Fernandez NJ 07302-5447

"Please, don't destroy our forests and their animals in order to mine coal! We need clean air, we need our ecosystems, don't ruin them for profit!!!"

Isabel Fernandez NY 10990-4206

"I don't see how corporations can keep doing these things without realizing that destroying the earth, even one forest more, is a devastatingly horrible idea. Save our planet and help start saving us too."

Heide Fernandez-Illamazares WA 98406-4908

"The parcels of roadless land in the U.S. is already small. I believe we need to protect these areas for the

future, for the long-term, for people everywhere to enjoy, and most importantly protect them from projects like this that are motivated by a large profit for a very small number of people."  
Dom Ferrandino VA 22193-4429

"Please, I thought we are already past fossil fuels. If you want to mine so badly, start mining the solar energy that's now possible, more efficient now and as time passes it's cheaper. Win- win for everyone and it will bring you a bigger fortune than the one your aiming for."

Joan Ferrante NY 10027-6828

"We don't need more coal and we do need to preserve our forests."

Elizabeth M Ferranti MA 02648-0724

"Leave the coal in the ground so that our children's children will have a planet to live on, and leave our pristine lands alone, so that our children's children can be proud their forebears were thinking of them."

James Ferrara

"We don't need more coal. Why would you want to harm our country's health?"

Angela Ferrari AK 99517-1260

"Please do not bulldoze irreplaceable pristine White River National forest. We need to go green. Arch Coal is just going to add more toxic waste. We already have 5 superfund sites in Colorado. Please choose forest over profits"

Diane Ferrari NJ 08619-3556

"Our climate is in extreme danger from added pollution and devastation of what little natural forests are still left. We need to stop contributing to more pollution, and preserving precious trees and wildlife.

Without trees, we could not have oxygen, which is vital to the survival of all the inhabitants of Earth. It would be tragic to kill off the livelihood for all the creatures who live in the forest, for those creatures will not be able to survive without their precious resources as well. I hope that you will please take these things into consideration.

Thank you. Sincerely, Diane Ferrari"

Tina Ferrato HI 96722-3884

"Please don't do it! Don't reopen the loophole to destruction!"

Miguel Ferreira NY 11201-3055 "#N/A"

William Ferrell AZ 85711-1901

"Coal MUST stay in the ground if the world is to avoid catastrophic climate change. New sources are NOT needed. Old ones must be taken out of use. Moreover, roadless forest areas are a scarce and irreplaceable national resource that should not be squandered for private gain!"

Daniel Ferrier MI 48207-4964

"Save the planet, not greedy coal barons."

James Ferris CA 91301-3606

"Destroying trees to mine coal is beyond ludicrous. Send Arch Coal packing - NOW!!!"

Lavelle Ferris TX 76531-3231

"Our country doesn't owe Arch Coal a thing... Coal is on the way out... don't help them make money by destroying our beautiful country."

Michael Ferriter

MA 01581-1049

"Forests must not be cut because they replenish our air. Without them we die."

Sarah Fesler ME 04342-3001

"It is urgent to act now to preserve forest land and the habitats it provides for wildlife and to protect against increased damage to the environment of our planet."

Nancy Fetterman CA 95033-8110

"Please, please, please do not allow Arch Coal to bulldoze roads into roadless forest, degrading habitat for native wildlife while adding to the climate pollution to our atmosphere. What are your grandchildren and great grandchildren going to wonder when we leave them with such an environmentally destroyed planet for their lifetimes."

Beckie Feuerborn WA 98092-6571

"Our forests are the only source of cleaning our air. We must preserve the. Fires alone destroy what we have.. please take heart and stop this destruction."

Lois Feuerle OR 97214-4035

"Stop this give-away!!! Re-Opening the coal mining loophole does not benefit the people of America as a whole. It benefits only one company!"

Stephanie Feyne NY 10023-0010

"Pristine roadless forest should take precedence over dirty energy that will not last. Once you befoul these forests you can never fix them. The forests are our legacy - and also produce cleansing oxygen and not carbon gases that contribute to global warming. It should be a no-brainer. Conserve for the future - not for the profit of Arch Coal."

Aveleena Feywine SD 57783-2790

"The time has come to refuse access to our precious forests and wild areas to all non renewable energy corporations. For the sake of our future, the future of our home planet REJECT the coal industry, REJECT the petroleum industry, and REJECT the uranium industry. Keep it in the ground and promote renewable energy sources. Stand up and insist that the USFS cease to prostitute our mother Earth!"

Ruth Fichter MI 48237-1826

"Are you the Forest Service working for all of America, or are you a subsidiary of the coal industry?"

James Ficklin CA 95560-2198

"Shut the coal loophole. Coal Mining is not needed in roadless areas, Coal is a dying, polluting industry, with many cleaner safer alternatives available. Let's become the solution not the Problem!."

Norman Fidelman NY 11520

"Please don't give the coal companies the right to destroy our forests. Support solar panels on every building"

David Fiedler PA 19020-3849

"We need more forests not less. These companies have a glut of coal as it is. Hardly justifies destroying pristine environment and wildlife habitat to add to their stockpiles (for export no doubt) and profits."

Deborah Fiegel OK 74037-1662

"Can't we save some pristine areas from the fossil fuel industry? Can't we save some of our forests, especially those that are roadless? Please advocate for my children's future. It is not fair or right that companies which are adding millions of tons of climate pollution and are bulldozing thousands of acres of pristine forests are making millions in profit. Please do the right thing."

David Field CA 91324

"I am truly sorry about the lost Coal Mining jobs TRAIN THEM for new jobs STOP COAL anywhere"

Erica Field

CA 95536-0566

"Please don't devastate the environment!"

Sylvia Field

NH 03766-2732

"We don't need MORE climate pollution. Arch Coal must be stopped. Our planet needs all the help it can get."

Fran Field

WI 54656-1741

"Today, the Forest Service can choose to do the right thing and stop Arch Coal from bulldozing through thousands of acres of pristine roadless forest in Colorado to mine up to 170 million tons of coal. I want the U.S. Forest Service to protect our roadless forests now! I expect the Forest Service to make a moral and ethical decision that serves the public interest rather than promote corporate profits for Arch Coal, one of the dirtiest of the polluting industries. Allowing Arch Coal--the second-largest coal company in the United States--to bulldoze across thousands of acres of pristine roadless forests would be unconscionable and serve only this company's bottom line. There is no way to justify such a decision that clearly is not in the public interest. The agency is proposing to reopen a loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule that will make it possible for Arch Coal to reap profits while adding 130 million tons of climate pollution to our atmosphere, causing up to \$13 billion in damage to the world's economy and environment. The climate costs of this proposal are simply too high. This loophole would set a dangerous precedent for our wild lands, and the Forest Service has a moral and ethical obligation to serve the public interest and can't let it happen. I am speaking out against this destructive proposal! This isn't the first time this dangerous loophole has been blocked. In 2014, a court decision threw the loophole out but left the door open for the Forest Service to revive it down the road. What is going on with the Forest Service to promote and revive such an incredibly bad plan? Up to 65 miles of road would be bulldozed across 19,000 acres of roadless forest, degrading habitat for black bear and elk, goshawk, lynx and trout...all to benefit one corporation. The Forest Service should not allow Arch Coal to reap profits while adding huge amounts of climate pollution to our atmosphere, all at the expense of wild, roadless forest and the best interests of the public!"

Linda Fielder TX 75006-2801

"STOP ARCH COAL FROM BULLDOZING FOREST IN COLORADO!!!!!"

Gretchen Fields MI 49441-6136

"Save our old growth forests, please!!!"

Alan Fiene

MN 55432-4627

"Between the immediate damage to the forest ecosystem and the long-term damage to the environment

this has got to be one of the worst loopholes to reopen. Please, DON'T DO IT."

Nancy Fifer

DE 19958-3621

"STOP THE INSANITY...NOW!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!"

Pat Figueroa SC 29356-9130

"Stop this corporation from profiting by destroying our beautiful pristine countryside! Save the habitat for our dwindling wildlife!"

Doris Filer

VA 20176-5182

"That's the last thing we need, for so many reasons."

Edward Files AZ 85120-8450

"Stop trashing our planet and destroying our forest."

Barbara Filigenzi MD 21054-2126

"A double hit against stopping climate change, killing trees, burning more coal. It must stop!!!"

Deborah Filipelli, Phd CA 95497-0341

"The following represents my position in strong opposition to the Forest Service proposal to reopen the coal mining loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule."

Steven Filipowski PA 16301-4934

"Haven't we raped enough of our country already? Why should we continue for a fossil fuel that destroys the rest of our environment? Wind, solar and cleaner natural gas are better alternatives."

Patty Filosi

OR 97471-1757

"I am writing to urge you not to allow Arch Mining to build roads in what is now a roadless area. I oppose the use of the Coal mining loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule. Opening up this area to extended mining will only add to climate pollution when we should be leading the world in reducing our negative impact on climate change."

Susan Fimple NE 68134-6551

"You are supposed to protect nature. DO YOUR JOB."

Joe Finan

KS 66061-3854

"No coal mining in these forests. Coal is bad."

Doris Finch

CA 91001-2112

"Inevitably coal will become an antiquated energy source. It would be tragic to lose irreplaceable green forest for an ephemeral enrichment."

Jeanette Finch-walton TX 78747-3948

"We don't need another 130 million tons of climate pollution in the atmosphere."

Helen Findley WI 53705-4575

"Don't give away our forests! Keep the coal in the ground and pollution to our atmosphere!"

Madeline Fine MA 02445-6717

"please stop!"

Ernest Fine

VA 20147-5518

"Taxpayers should not be supporting coal producers! Especially today, with the glut of oil and gas."

Mark Finkelstein NY 11226-6608

"Keep that coal in the ground!"

Bett Finley

AZ 85614-4322

"Please save our forest and wildlife!!!"

Kim Finley

OR 97212-1316

"May We Remind You of Your Mission Statement: (in part) "The agency's mission is to sustain the health, diversity, and productivity of the nation's forests and grasslands to meet the needs of present and future generations." "We augment our work through partnerships with public and private agencies that help us plant trees, improve trails, educate the public, and improve conditions in wildland/urban interfaces and rural areas, just to name a few. Our team also promotes sustainable forest management and biodiversity conservation internationally." There is nothing stated about destroying public lands for the benefit of Private Enterprise. Is it time for you to re-commit?"

Susan Finley TX 78613-5907

"The whole point of declaring that land pristine was to keep vehicles out, NOT to give corporate interests first dibs."

Patricia Finley MD 21643-3529

"Our forests should be kept pristine for the public to enjoy. Please do not allow Arch Coal to bulldoze and mine there. They will only contribute more pollution to our world and put wildlife at risk!"

Brittney Finn MA 02338-1802

"Why is this even a thing? We need to protect our wildlife and our forests!! Please take a stand!"

Robert Finnegan CT 06032

"Stop giving away and letting private interests profit by destroying our lands!"

Ryan Finneran IL 60177-2394

"I REJECT the Colorado Roadless Bulldozing Loophole for Arch Cosl. This project would be devastating to the landscape, environment and ecosystems that are located not only in Colorado but will also have a global effect from pollution and it will cost us Billions of Dollars. This is a disgrace of a proposal and should be rejected and thrown out immediately!"

Gina Fiore

CA 90026-2706

"Why are we so he'll-bent on destroying the very place we call Home?"

Robert Fiorelli PA 19056-3528

"We really need to NOT destroy anymore forested areas that take centuries to grow back to their

previous state"

Pamela Firebaugh

"Please remember that the Forest Service was formed to be stewards of our forests. Using a loophole to get around a law is dishonest at best."

Anne Firestone IL 61914-8006

"We simply cannot afford to use coal anymore. We are making the planet uninhabitable. PLEASE wake up and forbid mining. We need OXYGEN, not carbon dioxide, in the atmosphere. The trees provide the oxygen.

Protect them."

Douglas Firestone NY 10605-3804

"Please don't allow any coal mining in America's unspoiled forests, please!"

Ronald Firgens CA 93222-5123

"Coal belongs in the ground until someone invents a way to use it without creating more climate warming.

Leave it til then!"

Nancy First

MA 01060-1097

"We no longer need coal when clean and available renewables are at our doorstep. Our priorities must change before we do more damage to this beloved EARTH."

Mary Beth First MO 64601-1542

"Please do not bulldoze these thousands of acres down in order to mine 170 million tons of coal. Such a waste. This land has got to be kept by people who love it for what it is. Not to ruin it with what you are wanting. Leave this land alone. We need it....."

Doug Firstbrook

"Wake up America. Trees store carbon. Burning coal releases it. Keep resource extraction activity out of our publicly owned lands"

Richard Fischer IA 52032-9715

"Keep the Coal in the Hole, fossil fuels underground. Save the roadless areas from destruction. Save our atmosphere from pollution and keep our forests intact so they can help mitigate the worst effects of Climate Change."

S Fischer

MN 55408-2867

"Coal and coal mining are environmentally and economically unsustainable industries whose hidden environmental and health costs are externalized to the American people and taxpayers. Coal mining is not in the best interests of the people of Colorado and should no longer be supported or enabled in any way by government or laws."

Corey Fischer VA 22958-3076

"This is an unconscionable act to allow the destruction of thousands of acres of life giving forest to mine coal. Everyone knows fossil fuels need to stay in the ground if we are to have a chance at reversing the global warming trend that is threatening all life on Earth. Please, for the sake of future generations stop Arch Coal from annihilating our forests for dirty fossil fuel profits."

Sue Fischlowitz MO 63105-2625

"This is just wrong on so many levels: corporate greed and lack of concern for the environment among the worst. Close the loophole once and for all."

Alex Fish

OR 97217-4704

"We have to stop somewhere. Please draw the line on this one."

Christopher Fishel CA 94002-1446

"Why are we wrecking our own country for coal to create more atmosphere destruction?? STOP!!"

Gael Fishel

NM 87015-7022

"This doesn't make sense. We are trying to reduce our carbon emissions and this company wants to bulldoze 65 miles of pristine forest. What are they going to do the water supply in that area? I'm sure it will have a detrimental impact for communities down stream. Please don't let this happen."

Herb Fisher

"Public policy should be to preserve forests, wind, solar and other non-carbon emitting renewable sources of energy and not the production of more coal. Herb Fisher"

S Fisher

CA 95050-2624

"Just STOP giving away our precious land to companies for their own profits!!!!!!"

Julie Fisher

CA 92024-3053

"Stop the Fossil Fuel industry's proposal to bulldoze Colorado Forests for coal extraction. The Forest Service and all U.S. and State Agencies MUST wake up to the very real momentum of the majority of citizens and businesses who "get it". the reality that the earth is dying, and we must act as if we have only 1 decade left to turn this disaster around, because that IS the reality of it. The few deniers out there are only refusing to acknowledge reality because their political party is lying to them, and even Republicans KNOW the reality of climate change; we are witnessing the calamity global disasters these past several decades, and those disasters are accelerating. President Obama and the Forest Service need to lead world policies by blocking any expansion of oil, gas, and coal extraction, and current extractions MUST be reduced quickly and steadily over the next decade. The reality is that there is limited oil, gas, and coal, and those resources are dangerous but are likely needed in very small amounts for the next few decades, but ONLY in very small amounts such that limited extraction and burning of these fuels does NOT add in any significant way to climate destruction. Fossil Fuels should be reduced to under 5% of all global energy produced within the next 10 years. Life on this planet is dying; nearly all wild species are at 10% or less of their pre-industrialization numbers. Ecosystems are collapsing, and humans will follow the same fate if we do NOT change our ways, NOW! The U.S. was able to gear up for WWII in just 3 years; our nation CAN do this...we can shift gears and go solar, wind, recycling, and conservation faster than any other nations, IF we decided to be bold and lead the way. Let's do this. STOP any and all expansion of Fossil Fuel Extraction, and put a stop to proposals that seek to expand extractions in Colorado's forests (and anywhere else)."

Elizabeth Fisher CA 95825-7536

"We as a country need to curb global warming and the first step is to not allow Arch Coal to walk all over the Colorado Roadless Rule. Plus, our dwindling forests are a national treasure that should not be violated by digging for coal. Intelligent Americans do not want our Colorado forests destroyed in the coal industry."

Paul Fisher

ID 83301-6102

"It does seem that there is a point of right and wrong. We cannot ruin our world anymore for George

Washington, time to repair the damage done."

Bonnie Fisher IN 47408-2711

"It's about time that the US showed some leadership in turning away from coal and other carbon energy sources. Here is a golden opportunity to do so. It makes no sense to me to despoil a beautiful section of unspoiled nature and to further the destruction of the planet and its population all for the short-term profits of a few wealthy but self-centered people. Please do not allow Arch Coal Co. to wreak more destruction in Colorado!"

Elizabeth Fisher MD 21601-5525

"I think we need to step back from new coal exploration and exploit our renewable/sustainable options. Pristine forest takes decades to recover. I disapprove of the idea of logging there."

Ann Fisher MD 21208

"Please protect our forests from being razed. I grew up in coal mining territory and the remnants of coal mining are not fun to live with. Ann Fisher"

Gerald Fisher MI 48125-2365

"Keep it in the ground."

Albert Fisher MN 55102-2053

"Coal is a hazard to our health in so many ways, and trees work to clean our air. Why in the world would you let a mining company destroy thousands of trees to produce millions of tons of this toxic substance? Come on, care about the rest of us."

Samuel Fisher MO 63139-3321

"I strongly believe that this loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule should be closed. We need to do everything we can as a country to preserve the remaining wilderness, since we have destroyed or disrupted the vast majority of what once was."

Helen Fisher NC 28645-6784

"Utilizing other sources of energy is essential and unavoidable. Investing this company's time, money and manpower into the future of energy is the only way to go - it's a no brainer...meet the times and work with the world instead of bullying your way through....you will lose..."

Mike Fisher

NJ 08721-3014

"We all know there is coal in other areas. Stop taking the easiest way out and destroying the environment."

Sally Fisher

NY 10024-5323

"It's bad enough you spew your toxic waste into the air & water. Please do not let your greed destroy the forests, which we need to thrive in order to manufacture the oxygen we need. Do you not have children & grand children? Or do you want to fill your deep pockets at the cost of their health & well-being. Have you told them you're willing to squander their lives and those of future generations so you can feel rich. You are a thief of life, so nothing will give you self-worth unless you change your ways."

Cheryl Fisher TN 37804-4234

"I signed petitions to help enact the roadless rule in 1998. This rule is there to help protect our wildlife and forests not to help big coal companies destroy forests and reap big profits from publicly owned land. Protecting wildlife and forests needs to be a higher priority and as a member of the Cherokee Indian tribe, my ancestors knew how to take care of the forests and wildlife, and it's time for people to learn from this native American wisdom."

Vicki Fisher WV 26294

"Please leave it in the ground... we must take a stand for our children and grandchildren now!!!"

Madeleine Fisher Kern CA 90036-3013

"STOP DESTROYING OUR PLANET for coal mining greed."

Zelma Fishman CA 93402-2108

"Putting roads in, for any reason, is the most effective way to downgrade an area."

Miranda Fisk VT 05461-0674

"Wild lands belong to us all and are NOT renewable. The few remaining wild places that we have on Earth need to be protected for all and treasured, not squandered for the profits of a few and the further destruction of our atmosphere. Thank you for considering this message."

John Fister

"Our forests are too precious a resource to lose. This kind of an agreement could easily set a precedent for more protected areas to be exploited in the future. Other options exist. We cannot continue to rely on centuries old technologies like coal, which profoundly affect our environment through the air, water

(chemical/waste spills), and the detrimental effects of giant holes in our few remaining natural preserved areas."

Margaret Fitch CA 95127-1142

"The destruction of pristine land and watersheds in the Appalachian Mountains should be warning enough of what will happen to Colorado's forest lands, and beyond, if a coal company is allowed free rein into the area. Besides the pollution the coal would produce in this period of preventing further global warming."

Emily Fitton

NY 11238-4978

"It's unbelievable that with the over-supply of oil and gas, that more coal production would be approved. Dirty coal should not even be in our energy infrastructure anymore. And, once this land is damaged, it's permanent, while this company will abandon the project when it's not profitable, leaving the govt to clean up behind them - as usual. Just say no."

Stan Fitzgerald CA 95135-2129

"Please stop destroying our sacred Mother Earth!"

Gerry Fitzgerald FL 33957-4502

"Keep fossil fuels in the ground."

Judy Fitzgerald NY 14223-1317

"The whole idea is absurd in a day when we realize that coal is a huge contributor of fossil fuels and we need the forests to absorb the CO2. It is wrong in every way. Please reconsider what you are doing to the earth and all of us."

Genevieve Fitzgibbon-appel NJ 07871-1434

"Our wilderness is precious. Once gone, it can never be regained. To destroy forest land, especially in these days of environmental awareness, seems foolhardy and reckless and counter to the best interests of America. Please rethink this carefully."

Rena Fitzmaurice IL 60107-1315

"pleas stop this environmental destruction"

Donna Fitzpatrick

"Keep it in the ground"

Broaddus Fitzpatrick VA 24014-3308

"Dear Madam or Sir: As an avid fly fisherman, hiker and climber who spends a great deal of my vacation time and money in Colorado, I am very worried about the Forest Service reopening a loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule. Because of its mining history, Colorado has already suffered more environmental degradation than most other states, so I feel it is very important to preserve the pristine areas there which remain.

Moreover, with our government's position on climate change being articulated in Paris as I write this, I would think it should be out of the question to proliferate coal extraction that would further exacerbate our carbon problem. I worked for the nation's largest coal user (AEP) in the 1970's, including time in the nation's largest coal-fired power plants and have a professional understanding of coal mining, having defended several in the 1980's in litigation. I have spent time underground as well as at MTR sites. So it is with this knowledge of the industry and the environment that I oppose opening the roadless areas in Colorado to more mining activity. I appreciate what you do and hope you will consider my point of view when making your decision. Thank you, Broaddus Fitzpatrick"

Julie Fitzpatrick WI 53716-2333

"Destroying wilderness to mine for coal is a crime against nature and society."

Kathryn Fitzwater CA 92675-4610

"Please help save the planet for future generations."

Richard Fizell MT 59834-9714

"Coal is the worst fuel for the environment in many ways: bad extraction, bad CO2 emissions, bad solid waste, . . . To chew up even more roadless area to get it is stupid."

Helen Darlene Flack IA 52246-6121

"Too much of our forests have already been destroyed."

Dan Flaherty FL 34145-3711

"Enough is enough. Please help save what's left of our environment."

Ned Flaherty MA 02116-6051

"\$13 billion of damage to the global economy and environment is inexcusable. Reject the coal mining

loophole and keep the Colorado Roadless Rule un-changed."

Beth Flake

OR 97031-2215

"Coal is over, trees are the future."

Marianne Flanagan IL 60018-1642

"Pristine forests should not be destroyed to make room for coal. Arch coal has been involved in questionable safety matters over and over again. We are trying as a nation to lesson our dependency on coal as a fuel source. At this time we should not be giving carte blanche to Arch coal company to destroy Colorado."

James Flanagan TX 78602-6343

"Stop Arch coal from taking down forest in Colorado. From time we came to the Americas we have taken 80% of the woodland out. Please no more. Thank you."

David Flaningam OR 97004-7631

"Do not desecrate the Colorado Roadless areas!"

Matthew Flannery NJ 08904-2235

"Keep Roadless Forests closed to mining. The coal industry is a dying business -- don't let it take precious forests on its way out. There's too much coal already. Matthew Flannery"

Caren Flashner NY 10992-2255

"Not now, not ever."

R A Flatt

MI 48370-3127

"Leave the fossil fuel in the ground!"

Kevin Flavia

CA 95006-0457

"Coal is an extremely dirty fossil fuel that destroys our environment. All fossil fuels, especially those on public lands, need to be left in the ground! The American public (including taxpayers and voters) do not want our lands used for environmentally destructive practices and the extraction and burning of fossil fuels is one of the biggest destroyers of our public lands and the environment! Leave all of this toxic stuff (fossil fuels) in the ground where they belong!"

Rosemary Flax CT 06905-1823

"Let's save the environment not wreck it please."

Katharine Flebotte CA 95540

"Do not allow roads on this land which you are entrusted to protect."

Lisa Fleck

NY 10562-1608

"It is clear that global warming is destroying the earth and will make the lives of our children and grandchildren difficult, if not impossible. We don't need any more coal, but we do need forests and wildlife. Please do not cave in to the interests of those who don't care about the future of life on this planet. Please don't neglect the important stewardship role you play in this nation."

Will Flemer

"Please don't open these lands to mining. We need wilderness and nature more urgently than most people understand, as well as less coal above ground. Please. Please... Don't do it."

Sue Fleming

"ABUSES OF OUR PLANET WILL NO LONGER BE TOLERATED!!!"

Barbara Fleming LA 70602-0302

"Forests protect the environment and MUST be protected for all the animals that live in them. They are a source of beauty and benefit for all."

Denille Fleming LA 71201-7394

"Stop building roads on forest service land. It is not economically feasible to give away resources and cause massive erosion and environmental degradation in the process."

Pamela Fleming MD 21211-2731

"The proposed loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule is totally unacceptable for the following reasons:

1. It will allow the destruction of vast amounts of natural environment. 2. It will promote the release of enormous amounts of carbon into the atmosphere at a time when all the world is trying to decrease this amount. 3. It sets a dangerous precedent."

Emily Flesher IL 61865-3146

"Stop it!!! Stop destroying our forests and woodlands!!! You are ruining our beautiful country!"

Ken Flessas

GA 30054-4064

"Enough!! We need our forests to produce oxygen. The coal that is mined destroys it. We must keep green to breathe. Look what is happening to the rain forests in Brazil and the Amazon Rain Forest. We just don't seem to be able to learn the lesson."

Carol Fletcher MI 48103-9333

"Arch Coal should NOT be allowed or encouraged to profit at the expense of the rest of the people and the environment."

Connie Fletcher MI 49858-9428

"Destruction of the environment hurts all life."

Russell Fletcher NM 87106-2940

"Thank you for carefully considering my request, and for your work toward a healthy planet, because the earth is the only earth for all of us. Sincerely, Russell Fletcher"

Rebecca Fletcher WA 98284-8739

"Arch Coal must not be given any more access to our lands until they have fully cleaned up the toxic waste they have already left us at countless sites."

John Flinn

OR 97206-5356

"Stop feeding the dinosaurs!"

Bridget Flocco CA 95476-4001

"We need to do everything we can to end the mining of fossil fuels. There is no reasonable explanation to

give coal companies like Arch Coal more opportunity for more profit that results in more CO2 emissions into our environment."

Steve Flora KY 42171

"Insanity to allow such destruction for such an outdated reason ..... please don't allow this catastrophe to go ahead ....."

Tessa Flores NY 14850-9455

"Roadless forests are a precious natural resource, home to innumerable species of plants and animals. Please do not allow roads and coal mining to destroy this habitat."

MA Flores NY 11102

"The fact that the Forest Service is looking to open a loophole is beyond comprehension. Clearly that loophole was closed for a reason. Let's keep it that way."

Yesenia Flores TX 77088-6512

"Animals and humans deserve forest! Please do not destroy our world, nature, let us keep our forest! They are very important."

Shannon Flores TX 75252-6133

"Don't allow coal mining in roadless forest. It would cost too much damage both to our economy and in the habitat of too many of the beautiful animals on our planet. The cost is very simply WAY TO HIGH!!!"

Kevin Flowers TX 77004-5636

"I ask you as a member of the younger generation to stop trying to sabotage my future and the future of those that will come after me. Though your motivation is profit, you've got to realize that your profits will lead to my suffering. As a human being I can't understand why you would want to continue and be this short-sighted. Think of the clean alternatives and ask yourself why you work so adamantly against them."

Patrick Floyd

"STOP KILING THE ENVIRONMENT. ANSWER TO GOD, NOT TO THE ALMIGHTY DOLLAR."

Teresa Floyd OR 97009-9553

"Aren't you SUPPOSE TO PROTECT THE FOREST? You are not in that office TO DESTROY OUR FOREST. Do Your JOB and PROTECT THE FOREST."

Alice Floyd

TX 78731-1302

"The forests are for the children of America and for the generations to come and are to be held in trust for them. That is our own generation's responsibility. They are not for the profit of a coal company. It is wrong morally to allow any company to affect our environment so drastically and irreversibly for its own profit. Our wild land is for all citizens to enjoy and treasure, and it is not to be forever despoiled for money which then goes into the pockets of a few."

Rick Fluck

ID 83404-4806

"Public lands should make public, not private, profits if allowed to be harvested."

Char Flum

CA 95437-3504

"The planet doesn't have much time. Stop the suicide of the earth . Stop coal mining altogether"

Sarah Flum  
MI 49829-3340

"How many times do we have to petition to close loopholes before they are permanently removed. We need to turn away from the fossil fuels of the past. Our public lands and wilderness are a good place to start. The damage that would occur if this land was opened for Arch Coal could never be repaired. The Forest Service was created to preserve our forests not destroy them."

Phillip Flusche MO 64114-5126  
"Forests not destroyed landscapes!"  
Mary Flynn

CA 95386-9410

"Stop destroying the forests that give us the air we breathe! Stop it right now!"

Michele Flynn MN 55783-8743

"We know that unbroken wilderness is best for ecosystems, why entertain the thought of bulldozing a road....seems absolutely wrong for a Forest Service to even consider"

Mary Frances Flynn, Ssnd MO 63125-2835

"#N/A"

Pieter Fockens IL 60062

"Please stop Arch Coal from bulldozing thousands of acres of pristine roadless forest in Colorado."

Sara Fogan  
CA 91385-0552

"Please do not sacrifice pristine forest for dirty coal!"

Margaret Fogg FL 32305-7608

"Who is doing the thinking? Say no to bulldozing acres of roadless forests to build a roadway. we need these trees for clean air and clean water. Thanks."

Rick Fogg  
MD 21212-1828

"I am a stocker in arch coal and I still believe it or not in the best interest of the United States or the world to allow this mining"

Steve Foley  
AZ 85750-1524

"No more new coal mines! Trees take up CO2, coal emits it."

Teresa Foley FL 34293

"Don't you want to leave a better place for you kids. A bigger bank account won't help them if there's no oxygen. Look at china, there's no fresh air !!!"

Shannon Foley LA 70115-5660

"We cannot destroy our pristine, wild land to continue to feed a broken, dirty fuel system that is ruining the earth. There is no place in the current state of our climate for dirty coal."

Susan Foley  
MA 01085-4591

"Isn't anything sacred anymore?"

Marykate Foley VA 20112-3738

"We need to take care of the earth so the earth can take care of us and those in the future."

Joanne Folkins

"Oh, for God's sake. Will it take the decimation of everything for all of us to realize we're on the path to destruction for humans?"

Veronica Follan NY 12203-5934

"Please do not allow coal to be mined on this pristine land. We have so much to loose that cannot be replaced once the land is raped."

Anne Follweiler ME 04616-3548

"If you want to have a livable world for your grandchildren leave the fossil fuels in the ground."

Sean Folsom IL 62854-2123

"Please stop this mining. If it continues there won't be any forests on the Surface in Colorado, for Hundreds, if not Thousands of Years, due to the Tailings & Erosion. Coal waste poisons everything, Earth, Water, & Air."

Erosion will remove all the Top Soil, down to bare Rock."

Nora Foltz

PA 16601-3958

"Please stop destroying our last wilderness areas!"

Arlys Fones

OR 97219-4369

"These lands are not for personal profit."

Jolene Fonk

WI 53913-9275

"We need forests to sustain the atmosphere so let's stop destroying them!"

Vincent Fonseca TX 78212-3219

"We don't want or need 65 miles of road in this roadless wildlife habitat. The mining will pollute our land and air.

Pollution is bad for the health of our community and our wildlife."

Marie Fontana HI 96778-7925

"The earth needs the CO2 removing trees, not the coal."

Paul Foos

NC 28262-9118

"All coal mining should be STOPPED."

Kathleen Foote

"Please protect our forests. Coal is NOT the future and forests are."

Pamela Footit TN 31732

"Close the loophole & protect our environment from people who do not care about the environment."

Jim Forbes IL 60202

"You are supposed to be protecting forests not destroying them. The company is bankrupt so let them go under."

David Forbes VA 23072-1109

"A short term profit for a corporation is not worth the environmental impact of burning 170 million tons of coal while destroying forests in the process."

Kristen Force FL 32305-9039

"No coal mining on roadless forests!"

Margaia Forcier-call NM 87025-0043

"PLEASE make mitigating Climate Change your TOP PRIORITY, and STOP allowing Coal Companies to expand their mining operations, and destroying our forests as a side effect! KEEP FOSSIL FUEL IN THE GROUND and help expand alternative sources of energy. Be true to your calling as "Forest Service" -- not "Forest Destroyers". Thank you! We count on you!"

Phyllis Ford

CA 94553-3603

"Don't let a company with private, monetary interests destroy a pristine forest, which is priceless. Think smart and environmentally responsible instead of short-sighted and stupid."

Patti Ford

CA 95007-0055

"No one wants to live in a world without wildlife. We have got to leave the non-humans someplace to live, or we are going to lose them.... The world is neither your playground, nor your garbage can."

JO Ford CA 94618

"The forest belongs to nature. Nature protects us from ourselves."

Oma D Ford CA 95648-7715

"The world need these forests so we can breathe."

Samuel Ford CA 95117-2320

"This world is already in a precarious position; these mining loopholes must be closed before they do even more damage!"

April Ford

CA 95820-4324

"We must stand strong to protect our wilderness. The non-humans have as much right to their habitat as do the humans! Thank you for your commitment to preserve our greatest treasure."

C. Ford

GA 30052-3835

"If you don't protect our wild lands, who will?"

Deryl Ford

NC 27518-9269

"I oppose the Forest Service proposal to reopen the coal mining loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule."

Oniell Ford

OK 74112-1702

"God did not create this world for the plague of Humanity to harvest without care."

Ingrid Ford

OR 97405-0991

"Please leave the earth undisturbed and our forest natural for the animals and plants and ultimately for

human kind"

Mike Foreman MN 55044-7309

"Keep it in the ground. Don't tear up the environment, or pollute the atmosphere. There are other much better alternatives for energy that are not destructive."

Rose Foreman PA 17241-9472

"Sacred ground should never be disturbed!"

Valeri Fornagiel PA 16901-7261

"The idea that you are proposing to cut down trees which absorb carbon from the atmosphere to make roads in wilderness areas to be used to mine coal is criminal. Stop pandering to special interest groups and dump the fossil fuel industries."

Eric Forney

OK 74075-1905

"Our national forests represent areas of pristine natural beauty. I find it disturbing and ironic that an agency which is authorized to oversee this heritage is providing a venue for coal companies to pollute the air and destroy the landscape within the national forest. I think our agency leaders should reconsider their obligations and demonstrate true stewardship."

Kathy Forney OK 74076-2206

"Stop the destruction of irreplaceable pristine forests for out of date dirty coal. It's time we moved past the old ways and onto renewable clean energy."

Kenyon Foroughi-gross IN 46240-5207

"Help the environment for all of us, not corporate profit for a few."

Sandy Forrest NC 28654-9755

"Why is our Forest Service attempting to destroy our forests? Is the not illogical?"

David Forrester FL 34275-3092

"Stop clearing of forest lands for expensive coal deposits. Determine cost/benefits before proceeding."

Pam Forrester IN 46221-3455

"seriously? devastating a pristine forest for filthy dirty coal? our planet needs all the 'lungs' it can get to absorb the pollution we put out. & you'd allow this coal company to destroy one of the few things that 'help' us fight the pollution of coal? I just don't get it, I thought the Forest Service was in the business of 'protecting' our few remaining wild places, not to help 'trash' them. by the 'Doomsday clock', it's 3 mins till MIDNIGHT. a quote from Kennette Benedict, executive director of the Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists, in a news release "Today, unchecked climate change and a nuclear arms race resulting from modernization of huge arsenals pose extraordinary and undeniable threats to the continued existence of humanity. And world leaders have failed to act with the speed or on the scale required to protect citizens from potential catastrophe," . "These failures of leadership endanger every person on Earth.""

Jean Forsberg PA 16844-8617

"We need to switch our priorities to sustainable honoring of living systems, all living beings."

Elizabeth Forslund

MN 55011-4202

"You're ruining Gods green earth!"

Max Forsyth OH 44333

"Coal kills. Nature nurtures. Simple."

Robert Forte FL 33026-2208

"Save the planet! Global warming is real!"

Sharon Fortunak MN 55016-1909

"Please! Stop coal mining on roadless forests. Thank you."

Ardyth Fosaaen FL 32246-3602

"Instead of allowing mining on public land, we should be cutting back on coal mining and working toward eliminating the mining and burning of coal. Coal is the dirtiest of the fossil fuels and there should be a plan in place to phase it out completely. And the exporting of US coal should be phased out and stopped because burning coal in other countries is just as harmful to our global health as burning it at home. ALL coal mining on public land should be stopped ASAP - public land mining should be stopped immediately, NO phaseout. In addition, any mines currently on public land should be immediately cleaned up at the expense of the mining company which profited at the public's expense. If mines have been closed and the companies bankrupted - the owners (and heirs) who originally profited should now be liable for the cleanup. NO MORE EPA cleanup spills!!!!"

Nina Foss FL 32609

"No more desiccation of forests...please do your part to ensure earth's air is returned to the way it used to be 200 years ago."

Dawn Foss

OR 97321-3411

"Forests make air, and sequester carbon. They are burning down at alarming rates, and being clearcut to make room for agribusiness/corporate "farming." Forests are habitat for many rare species, and create recreational opportunities for us (very common species) humans. Think about Easter Island. What was the person thinking who cut down the last tree? At that point it probably didn't matter, but how did they get to that point? My guess is, their progression was similar to ours, one tree at a time. Please start protecting forests like the precious resources they are. Thank you."

George Fosselius CA 94530-2435

"I went solar so PG&E won't burn coal in Nevada and send power over the Sierra to California. Join my side and use my forests for sustainable products."

Dawn Foster NM 87043-9411

"Please do not allow one energy company (and certainly not more than one), transform our vast forests that are so vital to combatting climate change, into "cut up" ecosystems that struggle to support the hydrologic cycle and other natural systems necessary for both humans and wildlife on this Earth."

Beverly Foster PA 19087

"STOP Arch Coal. DO NOT ALLOW THIS TO HAPPEN. We have destroyed most of the planet. NOW we must stop and keep whatever forests we have left. There soon will not be enough oxygen to breathe,

what with geo-engineering and the phytoplankton in the oceans decimated."

Amy Foster

TX 76513-7890

"Continuing to benefit mega-corporations over the citizens of the United States, and the environment, undermines our faith in the ability of our government to do the right thing when pressured by those with only short term gain in mind. The fact that this rule change would benefit one specific company at the expense of the entire country (or should I say planet, since the effects of global warming are not limited by national borders) gives the appearance of the sort of "best government money" can buy sort of corporate handout that any ethical government agency should be ashamed of implementing. I urge you to reject this action and let the Colorado Roadless Rule stand as it is currently."

Paula Fougere NH 03874-4108

"Lead by example. Close the loop holes that threaten the wild lands we desperately need. Removing trees from public lands, just to obtain more dirty fossil fuels, makes no sense. Coal has to stay in the ground, especially on public lands, because our planet is priceless."

Carol Fountain WA 98117-2733

"Allowing coal mining in these areas would be very damaging on so many levels. Please consider future generations. Thanks for reading this."

Prisca Foures NY 13057-1295

"The forests are wonderful ecosystems, rich of life and diversity, that provide us with clean air and water. Please protect them from havoc and destruction from coal companies."

Nanci Fournier MA 01887-1866

"please save our trees"

Michelle Fournier ME 04097

"Fossil fuel mining on public lands is NOT in the public interest! Keep it in the ground."

Richard Fouse KY 41076-9090

"My God, good people...enough is enough. Don't destroy carbon eating trees to mine carbon making coal! Our

planet has been compromised enough."

Rita Foust

TX 75160-0625

"Understand we need trees to breathe@@"

Donna Foust NV 89052-6910

"Leave wild lands wild."

Megan Fowler GA 30605

"A civilized people have opportunity to create and use alternative energy options without destroying our natural resources, depleting forests and the disrupting that whole eco system on which humans and animals depend for cleaner air and water."

Russell Fowler NC 28584-9131

"NO roads means no roads. We do NOT need coal."

Helen Fowler NC 28451-9368

"Please don't destroy our forest and wild animal habitat for Arch Coal. We need the forests for our health and natural beauty."

Jeanne Fowler WA 98020-0367

"We must preserve our forest in Colorado for generations to come."

Doug Fowley OR 97037-9116

"this is stupid, we do not need more coal period. and going into roadless forests should be classified as criminal"

Karen Fox

"NO MORE COAL! Let's get with the 31st Century and turn your business into a renewable energy one. Solar, anyone?"

Richard Fox

"Please stop with the destruction and turn your attention and precious wealth towards positive actions. How many millions in profit do you really need? Give some back and do something righteous!"

Louis Fox CA 94963

"when will enough be enough?"

Eleanor Fox

NY 10035-4401

"Reopening the loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule to allow Arch Coal to profit from adding 130 million tons of climate pollution to our atmosphere will add up to \$13 billion in damage to the world's economy and environment. The climate costs of this proposal are by far too high. Moreover, it would set a dangerous precedent for our wild lands, and we can't let it happen."

Willa Fox

OR 97225-2908

"Hey, hey, ho, ho, filthy coal has got to go. In other words, leave it in the ground where it belongs and keep your greedy hands off it."

David Fox

WV 25425-3161

"We need to move away from the sort of destructive, extractive use of our federal lands that coal industries represent. Please deny or discontinue the loophole that Arch Coal is exploiting."

George Foxworth CA 95628-6656

"our natural resources are so precious. They belong to us all. Not to a huge company for the making of money and the ruining of the earth."

Michelle Foy CA 94114-3331

"It is very clear that we need trees in the ground and not clear cut for consumption. Cut climate pollution and protect the forests!"

Marilyn Foy

PA 19020-5702

"Put your money into clean energy!"

Thomas Frado OR 97306-9701

"Please stop destroying our planet's biosystems for the sake of helping a corporation's profits. Saving our already seriously degraded environment should be the primary focus."

Barbara Fraher

"Thank you for reading my letter. When are we going to stop this senseless environmental destruction for profit? Protect the wild places that clean air comes from as well as so much more."

Steph Fraine

"Please look to renewables. Coal is a dead end."

Larry Fraley

WA 98188-3257

"Why would you let them do this when coal is a dirty fuel, stripping away trees that will increase your states carbon foot print. You are allowing an ecological problem to occur for what? The trees will be sent to China, probably all the coal too so what corporation is going to benefit while the public takes the loss? I ask you to make this decision based on what's good for the public and not just for the short term with some extra jobs."

Mary Franceschini CA 94521-3078

"Please protect creation! Don't allow dirty coal to take over. Protect our planet!!"

Bonnie Franciosi PA 16601

"Please do not continue to pollute our earth. Allow the trees and all of the animals that enjoy the forest to live."

Stuart Francis IA 52402

"STUPID, RECKLESS, AND NOT WANTED !!!"

Joann Francis OH 44278-1945

"Its time to stop destroying everything and find better, and eco friendly ways to exist. The greed and destruction of our forests, wildlife and open spaces will eventually destroy us."

Jude Francis OH 44705-3131

"Ruining the earth for resources we don't need,when we should be becoming fossil fuels free, makes no sense for anyone. EXCEPT for a few people who make a fortune at the expense of the planet and humanity in general. Protect our future. Do the right thing."

Carol Francisco TN 37216-1730

"Bulldozing this land sends a terrible message about our lack of commitment to trying to control global warming. This forest land helps to process CO2. The land is home to many wild animals. We don't need to mine more coal; we need to work on renewable energy sources."

Faith Franck NV 89135-3261

"I want the fossil fuel industry to stop destroying this planet."

Beverly Franco

"Coal, all of it, needs and must be eliminated, permanently from all the earth. Putting an end to the 1862 bill on how much mining companies can pay for an acre, and then their huge profits - might be take out the cost of the damage over years from that insane profit. The health hazards are also too great to inflict on this nation."

Elise Francoeur

CT 06790-5705

"Leave the coal in the ground and put that effort into developing environmentally friendly, renewable energy!"

Elaine Francoeur CT 06851

"Undeveloped environments such as these pristine forests in Colorado need protecting not exploitation!"

Karla Frandson CA 92128-2608

"Do the right thing! Protect our natural world."

Nicholas Frangakis CA 90069-5102

"Do the right thing. Regard the future of our indispensable forests."

Norman Frank CA 94707-2207

"Save forests and climate."

Shirley Frank FL 32696

"We're losing more and more of our forest every day and it seems that every day another animal becomes extinct due to the environment and habitat loss. For an agency that is supposed to help protect the forest and wildlife I hope you will stop the Arch Coal Company from pile razing the forest and killing hundreds of animals"

Cynthia Frank MD 20901-2145

"Please stop the destruction of our country & planet for more profit. Greed will not solve anything!!"

Henry Frank PA 19153-2225

"Bulldozing roadless forests is the WRONG thing to do."

John Franke VA 22556

"sTOP DESTROYING THE EARTH JUST TO BURN TOXIC COAL! If we use our brains we can come up with a means of clean energy."

JJ Frankel

IL 60605-3363

"This is a completely mistaken and unbelievably foolish plan: in addition to coal being a greenhouse gas creator which is bad for our planet and our people, there is NO WAY to replace pristine forests. And our forests are, among other things, essential to our oxygen supply being threatened and endangered by greenhouse gasses. Please close this loophole immediately!"

Helene Frankel NJ 07052-1720

"our planet, our lands, our trees must be protected from devastation by companies. save our planet now!!!"

Herman Frankel OR 97210-1937

"Let's work together to protect our planet and our democracy."

Marsha Franker CA 90066-4134

"Forests are places of refuge which help us keep our humanity. Coal dirties the air and leads to global

warming. Which one do you choose?"

Constance Franklin CA 90026-6197

"It's an outrage that the Forest Service would even consider pandering out our public lands to benefit a coal company, no less ! and destroy habitat ~ o such few habitat left ! for wildlife. Do you think we can finally step in the 21st century and with the ecologically sane perspective of protecting ecology and wildlife and once and for all end the pandering to dirty energy ?"

Sherra Franklin NC 28412

"Why don't you coal companies use your \$ to develop CLEAN/RENEWABLE ENERGY??? STOP THE POLLUTION and DESTRUCTION PLEASE!!"

Amy Franklin NM 87529-9546

"Our National and State Forests are some of our most unique and remarkable treasures. Please protect them. Do not allow Arch or any other corporation to destroy our national and state heritage and add to global climate change. Why would you do allow this loophole? Trusting you to take action and maintain the Roadless Rule in our Forests. Amy McConnell Franklin, Ph.D."

Louise Franklin OR 97355-0708

"Americans need to get away from fossil fuel. Helping get more out of the ground is counter to our best interests."

Joe Franklin

TN 37601-5824

"Dear US Forest Service: These special roadless areas in Colorado deserve special protection. The coal reserves represent fossil fuels which must be left in the ground instead of digging them up and burning them further contributing to global warming. Furthermore, we need to be thinking more in terms of divestment from fossil fuels and using those supposed 'benefits' for renewable energy investment. Thank you for your time and consideration. Joe G Franklin"

Ken Franklin TX 75067-7935

"OMG! Does this really require comment? Stop this practice, please!"

Lynn Franks

CA 95818-3553

"Back in Peoria we used to swim in the strip mines west of town. I am glad something of value came of those 'fossils.' Keep the remaining coal under ground!"

Robert Franson CA 96130-4532

"To the USFS please stop this action of the Arch Coal from bulldozing acres and acres of beautiful land just for their profit. Please stop this from happening and close the loophole. bob"

Harriet Frantz AL 35957-5861

"Close this loophole and stop this practice forever. We will not be here forever, but we want the earth to be here forever."

Kathe Frantz NY 10992-1428

"It is a crime to destroy the environment and should not be permitted!"

Sean Franulic

MI 48111-4759

"Destroy forests for the benefit of burning dirty coal. This math does not add up."

Paul Franzmann WA 99362-3181

"The last thing an overheated planet needs is more coal. Leave it in the ground."

Sandra Frary CA 95405-4657

"Enough is enough. Leave the coal in the ground and leave pristine roadless forests in Colorado alone. It is

good for the earth AND It is good for the climate. Please do the right thing!"

Scott Fraser

NY 10025-8300

"Close this loophole! No more corporate welfare!"

Cary Frazee

CA 95503-9592

"Please maintain the Roadless Rule for the integrity of the forest."

Marc Frazer

FL 32622-2864

"Yeah, just what we need to do is destroy pristine forests so we can burn more coal to create more greenhouse gases. Does it get any stupider?"

Jennifer Frazier AR 72704-9473

"Please stop dirty coal mining and reduction of wildlife habitat!"

Maggie Frazier NY 13865-1318

"These loopholes need to be closed - with climate change a reality - we certainly should NOT be doing any more coal mining! These are OUR public lands - not Arch Coal! The cost to our planet has become too high to continue to bow down to fossil fuel!"

Martin Frazier OR 97202-5429

"Leave it in the ground!"

Janet Frazier TN 37914-6346

"Please stop O ur e Please stop. We don't need anymore problems with our environment, forests, and animals Please think about what you would be doing."

James Freake

"removing coal not only destroys the mountain, it pollutes streams and vital habitat for countless species.

Forest fires are bad enough, don't make surviving any harder for our priceless wild animals."

Patricia Frederick MA 01430-1258

"Trees are already under attack by insects, and endangered by forest fires, both problems exacerbated by Global Warming. Rain forests in the Southern hemisphere have been destroyed to make grazing land for cattle. Trees provide the world with environmentally crucial CO2 absorption and oxygen production, as well as helping cool the planet. The last thing we should do now is to destroy more trees, especially for the purpose of accessing fossil fuels which need to stay in the ground."

Robert Frederick NV 89117-3342

"C'mon man! Mining for coal!? Still!?"

Patti Fredericks MD 21788-2712

"Please don't destroy these lands just for mining coal. We need to preserve these wild lands for the health of all generations , present and future . What will be left if we continue with these practices ?"

Leigh Fredrickson MO 63960

"Forest protect us from the ravages of the use of fossil fuels and roadless areas of of special value"

Joann Freed HI 96740-9420

"This is against all logic, sense and ethics to our planet and its people. You know better."

David Freedman SC 296312112

"The proposal from Arch needs to be evaluated with respect to the impact on climate change, both via removal of the trees and release of CO2 emissions. The societal cost of this project greatly outweighs the benefits."

Dave Freeman AZ 86322

"the forest service is stepping way over its bounds to allow this kind of thing on public land - greedy bastards all!"

Theresa Freeman FL 32955-3815

"Thank you for Protecting/Preserving OUR LAND!"

Carlin Freeman NM 87110

"Everyone now knows that coal is our dirtiest fuel. Leave it where it is!"

Doreen Freeman NV 89041-6540

"In the middle of the UN climate talks, it is folly to open more areas to coal mining. Remember COAL is the dirtiest fuel!"

Anna Freeman OH 43204-2203

"Please do not mine coal in the forests making them not pristine anymore. We need to keep their beauty and just as important if not more important, the pristine forests also help us to have better air to breathe, keeping our population healthier."

Richard Freeman OR 97202-5465

"Don't use "Scorch Earth" policy any longer; it only puts the bad stuff in the air, to double (actually more) the impact."

Christiane Freer-parsons AZ 85250-6174

"Please DO NOT allow Arch Coal to "develop" a coal mining operation in the Colorado wilderness. It makes no long-term sense to bulldoze and disrupt such a large swath of natural land. Uphold the Colorado Roadless Rule!"

Lisanne Freese IL 60646-6506

"We vacation in Colorado. It's beautiful in the parts that haven't been ruined by mining or logging. Americans use 3 times the resources of other countries. We need to stop wasting and start being better

citizens of the Earth. Leave the coal in the ground."

Dan Freese

MN 55447-5425

"Leave the coal in the ground where it belongs!"

David Freese PA 19151-2524

"We must get off coal. Period."

Harry Freiberg OR 97415-9686

"No loopholes, please. Some forests are roadless for perfectly good reasons..."

Carole Freking

"WHY does big business feel it has a right to exploit and destroy EVERY nook& corner of our world?? There is ample energy available from our sun, wind, ocean, and undiscovered sources!!! As a nation WE DO HAVE THE MONEY to MAKE happen whatever causes we choose. LET'S SAVE OUR EARTH!!! If we are truly human, we have a moral obligation to do so....."

Minerva French

"Please, save our forests."

Rosemary French AR 72758-6223

"In a world struggling to find non-polluting sources of energy, it doesn't make sense to allow Arch Coal to destroy thousands of acres of natural forest to add to mine coal. Please keep the loophole closed."

Carol French AZ 86336-5210

"Destroy more forests and wild lands while adding huge amounts of pollution to the atmosphere? It's way past time to STOP this rape of our earth!"

Lana French OH 44070-1508

"No roadless bulldozing for profit operations! This hurts our environment."

Sylvia Freund WA 98531-4729

"At a time when we should be greatly reducing our CO2 emissions, it is ridiculous to expand our coal mining efforts and destroy forests in the process. This is not an solution - this is the problem. Profits now will only add to our global climate crisis."

Nate Frey

IL 60614-5973

"Stand for the environment!"

Brenda Frey NY 14224-3139

"Coal is dirty so why would we want to destroy thousands of acres of pristine road less forests for the Arch Coal."

Katie Frey

WA 99201-7635

"Do the right thing for the planet!"

Joan Frey

WI 53211-4411

"Please keep the Colorado Roadless Rule as it is and reject the coal mining loophole. Our environment is too precious as also is our pristine forests! Keep the fossil fuel in the ground. For the sake of a better

living climate for all of us, Thank you."

Maggie Friedenbach IL 61074-2606

"I used to live in Colorado. The mountain forests are already being fragmented by housing developments. But this coal mining would be extremely devastating to the area, the people, and wildlife."

Mark Friedlander OH 44121-2367

"Losing forests for COAL is an incredibly blinkered idea and make me think a few people are reaping payoffs. What century is this, again?? Ask yourselves that because WE KNOW that coal is just about out."

Barry Friedman AZ 85710-1102

"If we never have a new road to bring coal out, the world will be a better place to live- clean, clear and healthier"

Eric Friedman DC 20005-4507

"All parts of the US government should be doing all they can to limit the terrible hams of global warming. Please do not open the way for mining more coal. It must remain in the earth."

Cliff & Carol Friedman FL 34110-4205

"Please,we implore you to not allow Arch Coal to bulldoze,destroy and harm the land and wildlife that will be destroyed and harmed."

Bill Friedman IL 60201-1167 "#N/A"

Cherryl Friedman IN 46062-9077

"Our forests take up carbon dioxide and release oxygen into the atmosphere. Enuf sAid!!!"

Eric Friedman NY 10011-6282

"Please don't allow the destruction of America's wilderness to dig up coal - a double insult to the environment. Moments like these should be used to help wean us off self-destructive old ways of coal burning, and preserve what we have left for wilderness."

Robin Friend WA 98597-9662

"We should not be using coal at all, let alone allow a company to bulldoze pristine forest to obtain more of a fuel that should no longer be used. There is a reason these lands are roadless. Please keep them that way."

Jeb Fries

NY 14063-1307

"Coal is so yesterday and polluting, what are you thinking of pandering to a zombie industry?"

Bobby Fries OR 97405

"I respectfully request that you not allow Arch Coal, or any coal mining organization to destroy pristine forest to continue to mine a horribly polluting fossil fuel. The methane alone that will be released in an operation like this is Extremely Bad for our earth's atmosphere. We need to be encouraging outfits like Arch Coal to invest in non-destructive fuel sources for energy generation. Please, PLEASE keep current

safeguards in place for our wild lands and the creatures that call them home. These forest lands should be cared for for the future generations, and for the planet as a whole. Thank you for your action in denying this proposal."

Dennis Friesen Carper IN 46385-9026

"This proposal combines two destructive actions: extraction and combustion of more fossil fuels and destruction of thousands of acres of forest. Is the Forest Service is having to generate income from industry to compensate for unsustainable budget cuts? This is not the way!"

Rick Frigo

WI 54935-3042

"to put in to holliday terms YES coal still has a seat at the table, but NO COAL can't have all of the TURKEY, MASHED POTATOES N' GRAVY. In other words coal is still necessary for SOME THINGS, but We are at a point to make a transition from the tradition of fossil fuel to the alternatives energy. COAL, whether YOU like it or not the time is soon coming that YOU will have to sit at the kids table and get less of the turkey, mashed potatoes n' gravy. COAL you need to go on a diet."

Dan Frink

CA 95616-1918

"I find it inconceivable that the Forest Service would consider allowing Arch Coal or anyone else to bulldoze roads in currently roadless areas of National Forest in order to mine coal. There is a surplus of coal on the market and we should be doing everything possible to reduce burning of coal, not to allow its production in sensitive areas. As a former resident of Colorado and frequent visitor, I have always valued the recreational values of the National Forests and I hope that they are preserved and enhanced, not degraded in order to mine coal."

Peter Frisbee IL 60622-5506 "#N/A"

Renee Frisbie CA 90042-3126

"This idea is preposterous!"

Linda Frisbie NY 13732

"If we do not act NOW, all will be lost for our children and grandchildren. We need to stop this destruction and this was on the earth."

Barbara Frisch AZ 85716-5644

"Coal is dirty and no longer even profitable on a large scale. So why would you want to destroy these forests?"

Michele Frisella AZ 85658-4077

"This matter concerns me a great deal."

J. P. Frohn

"Put a stop to all coal mining."

G. Frohn

"Stop coal mining and burning every where in the USA."

Maureen Frosch MO 63042-3119

"These forests are for EVERYONE to enjoy. Not just for big business to use for their own gain. Make sure

to stop this in its tracks so we can all enjoy the beauties of the forests. Loopholes don't belong in any laws."

Michael Frost CA 94070-2924

"Let's move away from coal. The monetary, environmental, and opportunity costs of coal are too high."

Anne Frost CA 94804

"Please keep the forest land off limits!"

Jeremy Frost CT 06890-1411

"Roadless means roadless for the benefit of our citizens. For profit companies breaking this restriction - solely for their gain and to help pollute our air and water is not to be considered."

Linda Frost

MN 55057-1503

"Do not reopen the loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule and do not allow Arch Coal to have access to pristine roadless forests. Do not allow Arch Coal to make or bulldoze any roads in Colorado's roadless forests."

Jenifer Frost OH 45206-2916

"We need to be developing clean, renewable energy, not stuck still using dirty fossil fuels from the last century."

Veer Frost

VT 05861-0093

"Stop this unconscionable destruction of what is left of the forests!"

Earl Frounfelter CA 93454-6644

"Where to start? We need less coal burning. We need to save wild places and forests. Why does everything have to be about destroying the planet for one more dollar?"

Patricia Frueh

"Stop destroying our forests."

Susan Fruth

WI 53711-2134

"Stop the destruction of road-less forests by discontinuing coal mining NOW!"

Barbara Fry

IL 62002-4056

"you obviously don't care what kind of world you leave for even your own descendants. What are you going to do when there IS NO MORE coal? Resources are NOT INFINITE! When a resource is gone it is gone FOREVER, and all the money in the universe won't buy what doesn't exist. Put the money and jobs into clean, safe, secure, RENEWABLE energy for today and future generations."

Melvin Frye OR 97006

"{Protect our natural forests from coal miners."

Maureen Fudger NY 13797-2127

"COAL MINING??? IT'S 2016! ENOUGH!"

Ruth Fuglistaller NJ 07302

"Please seize this opportunity to PROTECT forested land for the future generations of our country and our planet. Renewable, nonpolluting energy is being used in other countries for the benefit of everyone, and it also is a profitable source of energy. Please stand for the future, not for shortsighted greed."

Katherine Darcy Fuguet MA 02138-5522

"At a time when we should be decreasing our use of coal, and increasing the use of non-polluting energy sources, it makes no sense to desecrate a back-country area by opening it up to coal mining."

Jed Fuhrman CA 90290-3523

"Don't cut roads in our taxpayer owned wilderness for dirty coal production! It is wrong for so many ways."

Isabel Fuica

NY 10573-5168

"Thaks so much for reading"

Sandra Fujita HI 96744-2245

"Please block the loophole."

Pamela Fulcher MI 48067-4024

"Please do not allow Arch Coal from bulldozing thousands of acres of pristine roadless forest in Colorado in order to mine more than 170 million tons of coal."

Janet Fulgenzi MI 48603-2762

"To think a company continues to bulldoze pristine forests in Colorado in order to mine coal which harms our living earth and everyone living on our home planet is boggling! No more coal mining! Put your moneys into clean energy. Janet Fulgenzi, OP, PhD"

Nicole Fuller

"There are other energy resources we already have available. It's time to start being smart and make better choices for our future."

Marilyn Fuller CA 95033-9537

"Please leave these forests as pristine as they are now!"

Marilynn Fuller MA 02019-1605

"Don't destroy our beautiful forests in the pursuit of more coal! We need to phase out the use of coal, not look for more of it."

Barbara Fuller ME 04086-1725

"We must not promote coal use in this country any more!! It is harmful to the environment to such a high degree. Please, don't let Arch Coal ruin the forests and the skies. Stop it....."

JK Fuller

NV 89411-0775

"Thank you for reading my letter.You can't possibly think this is right! Please, don't Even Consider this Road!!

Thanks for using your "whole Self" !"

Linda Fuller

WI 54022-5812

"We cannot lose so many beautiful because of this."

Joseph Fullerton

"Don't ruin part of what makes Colorado great: beautiful, unspoiled wilderness!"

Sally Fulton

OR 97035-4447

"Protect the wild, not profits."

Nathan Funk

"Why should we sacrifice our forest land for coal, a fuel that is not relevant to the climate solutions of the 21st century?"

Thomas Funkey FL 33060

"We must do our lungs a favor!"

Jessica Funston OR 97404-6812

"Please, there are very few legitimate organizations left that defend the forests and protect nature. This plan defeats the already minimal movements towards conservation and counter-acting climate change. I believe Theodore Roosevelt and the other developers of the national land protection agencies like the Forest Service would be very disappointed in this plan. I believe it will destroy the fragile and incredibly unique ecosystem of Colorado, which will cause a ripple effect possibly to other parts of the country.

Please, I beg you, find a better solution, there has to be another way. Even thinking of this proposed motion breaks my heart. What happened to not relying on Natural Resources and Fossil Fuels? Thank you for your time and consideration."

Saaavannah Furrman

"I strongly, strongly urge you to reject the misguided proposal to allow coal mining on forest land. It gives benefits only to Arch Coal, not to the earth, not to its inhabitants, not to future generations. Stop this action!"

Robert Furst CA 92252-0199

"SAVE THE ENVIRONMENT !STOP THIS ASSAULT BY ARCH COAL !"

Joan Furtado RI 02915-2645

"Do not ruin the land."

Burt Furuta

HI 96813-1388

"Reopening the loophole to allow Arch Coal to bulldoze through pristine forest does not make sense for the economy and certainly not for the environment. We do not need more coal mining. The price of oil is already dropping below \$40 per barrel. We do not need to destroy wilderness to mine more fossil fuels. We need to invest instead in making renewable energy more efficient and scalable. Long-term, additional fossil fuel use will be devastating to the economy and the environment, and coal is the worst offender."

Carol Anne Fusco CA 94708-2058

"In this time of trying to address climate change, it is unconscionable to destroy forests in the name of mining for a climate destroying fuel! Leave the coal in the ground where it belongs!"

Bob Fusco

CA 94550-7250

"Just read John Grisham's Gray Mountain. Why do we let coal companies get away with such crimes?!?!"

Thomas Fusco ME 04011-3800

"This is the behavior that we MUST stop if we are serious about reducing the impact of climate change."

Loraine Fusco NY 11040-1318

"We don't need any more pollution and deforestation in our beautiful, but shrinking wilderness."

Richard Futrell

"...pristine roadless forest..." for our children and children's children is a much better legacy for us to make possible than a continuing legacy of ecological pornography"

Sherrill Futrell CA 95618-5421

"How can anybody who is not greedy support this crime against nature?"

James Fydrych NM 87111-3732

"We can't let another mega corporation's love for profits surpass its responsibility to keep from damaging the environment."

Cyndra Fye

"Caring for the land and serving people." This is your mission as boldly stated on your webpage. The only means of staying true to this cause is to protect our forest lands, and to preserve them for enjoyment of both people and animals -protecting them from mindless, wasteful destruction, protecting our very environment from further pollution in the name of corporate profits. PLEASE put your actions behind your stated mission, and cease once and for all any consideration of breaking the Colorado Roadless Rule. Thank you!"

Bev G

OR 97206

"Please don't disturb these beautiful areas of nature; as once they're gone, it's too late. Preserve our forest lands!"

Rob G

WA 98101

"No coal mining in our forests... period!"

Priscilla G.

NM 87507-7187

"Placing profits before our environment is detrimental to public safety."

AL Gaarden

NM 87124-1101

"leave the coal in the ground - leave our forests to the future generations - coal is yesterday's tech - embrace sustainability and clean air"

Gregor Gable UT 84109-2452

"Leave, the Roadless Lands alone. The amount of your profit, you will not make up, for the loss of valuable Roadless Lands. As so as you put a road, all types of people will forever use the roads. Causing the destruction of the entire area. You, will not be satisfied until the whole area, is destroyed and loss of protection for the wildlife, that uses the every shrinking areas, to try to survive, its species. You are killing, the possibility of any wildness, in your search for money. You, know as well as I, that coal and oil are going, to be totally gone, within the next 50 years. What are"

Allen Gabriele FL 32708-4103

"This is actually insane. Digging coal for who? For China? Not so Americans can have jobs but so a few companies' principals can get rich. Worse than insane, it's disgusting."

Jerrine Gabrio

"Please do not allow coal companies such as Arch Coal, access to roadless forests. The time is now to protect what little natural resources our earth has left. Everywhere you look there is pollution and destruction of natural ecosystems. We need to be reversing this trend, not increasing our ecological footprint. Please do not reopen this loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule."

John Gaedeke AK 99709

"Coal mining leads to coal burning, none of which is good for the air we breathe. This is only short term gain for corporate America and should not be allowed."

Jacqueline Gaess CT 06783-1005

"Please do not allow Arch Coal to reap the profits while they pollute our atmosphere and degrade habitat for us and wildlife. Do not reopen a loophole in the Colorado Roadless Rule. Thank you."

Perri Gaffney NY 10037-3123

"TREES SUPPLY US WITH OXYGEN. COAL GIVES US FUEL, BUT IF WE CAN'T BREATHE EVERYTHING IS COLD DEAD! DON'T CHOP DOWN TREES FOR COAL!!"

Cathy Gagliardi MN 55116-2729

"Your actions taken today will surely impact tomorrow...time to think about the future and not the immediate profit you can make today!"

Jerry Gahan

CA 92277-0533

"We need to stop using coal, NOT use more!"

Anthony Gahr CA 94553 2394

"lets stop using up all are land ,it's pubic properly ."

CJ Gainer

WA 98103-6397

"STOP KILLING OUR PLANET!! STOP KILLING OUR FORESTS AN CREATING CLUMATE CHANGE DESTRUCTION!"

Nora Gaines NY 10024-0545

"I urge the Forest Service to reject the loophole allowing Arch Coal to bulldoze thousands of acres of pristine roadless forests."

Geri Gajewski ME 04106-6620

"Save our forests, air and human and wildlife a health and habitats by blocking this loophole. It is the time to look for more sustainable sources of fuel."

D.C. Gal NY 10027

"This is a no-brainer. We need air, water, and earth for life. Coal is death. Stop it!"

Vince Galbo

NY 14221-1620

"You will regret climate change when you have no food and temperatures are not livable and land mass

is reduced because of coastal flooding. You will regret what you are doing."

Mary Galbraith WI 53211-2444

"Is there EVER a good loophole? Perhaps, but this one isn't. If the time comes when coal is the last energy resource left on earth, perhaps this will have to be revisited, but not now. Thanks for reading this."

JC Gale

FL 33434-2496

"Please! Protect our roadless forests!!!"

Michelle Gale FL 33073-2223

"This is no longer appropriate. Coal's day is past. It's time to do what is necessary on behalf of all of us and refuse to grant this permit."

Kathleen Gale NC 28443-2476

"I thought this kind of devastation only happened in the destruction of land in the Amazon and other third world countries and was very dismayed to learn that it is happening right in our own country!"

Gaila Gale

OR 97520-1947

"Who is the Forest Service working for? Are they getting kickbacks? Or will they honor their job by being true protectors of our forests. Shame on any people who betray the trust given them to be stewards and not profiteers."

Maradel Gale WA 98110-4900

"Leaving coal in the ground is the only thing that makes sense, particularly given the dramatic price drop for this fossil fuel. To protect our environment, this mining proposal must be stopped. Do the right thing here, U.S."

Forest Service!!"

Jane Galin

OR 97213-4139

"The forest is our true and lasting wealth. There are no "alternatives" to a forest."

Amity Gallagher CA 95407-8432

"Leave it in the ground!!!"

Kevin Gallagher CT 06812-4908

"time to stop destroying that which is keeping us alive"

Cherry Gallagher FL 32034-6581

"Our wilderness in Colorado is a resource for Eco tourism, the health of wildlife, our state and planet. Please do the right thing! Cherry Gallagher"

Amy Gallagher NY 14085

"I like forests, as do the animals. :("

Janet Gallagher NY 11104-1647

"Mining more coal makes absolutely no sense as a general proposition these days; destroying forest to do so is ludicrous."

Sheila Gallagher PA 18040-7336

"It is time to put ALL fossil fuels to bed, forever! Please save our remaining precious trees from further destruction and death. This is the only reasonable approach to save the planet from impending death. Mankind survived for eons without coal, but we will not survive for much longer unless we begin to respect and care for Mother Nature and her gifts of life."

Rev. Marilyn Gallaway Lange TX 78148-3702

"The LAST thing our nation needs right now is more coal and less forest. Remember that you are the FOREST service. Your job is to be stewards of everything that lives in this forest. I pray that you will decide in favor of life. Yours in Christ + The Rev. Marilyn Gallaway Lange"

Pia Gallegos

"Save the forest."

Mark Gallegos CA 90033-3111

"Please don't let Arch Coal bulldoze thousands of acres of pristine roadless forest in Colorado in order to mine more than 170 million tons of coal."

James Gallup AZ 85257-4510

"Our planet is a frail fragile home. Please keep the coal in the ground.Thank You."

Eric Galoskowsky OR 97266-4129

"stop coal mining and look to alternative clean air energy solutions. Please stop polluting our world."

Stephanie Gamache SC 29841-4333

"We need to save these forests not only for wildlife but for our own good. The trees provide and clean the very air we breathe."

Ivan Games

WA 98029-7694

"It is time and to science is clear, coal and other hydrocarbons need to be left in the ground. Stop destroying nature!"

Timothy Gandy GA 30088-3111

"I am a law school student interested in environmental law. My studies have emphasized more and more that laws protecting our environment are a necessity for our planet and our economy. My message to Arch Coal is that there are many ways to make money other than destroying the natural world. As an energy company, there is more profit in embracing alternative sources of energy that will never run out like coal and oil. Also, this approach is going to protect the environment and increase your profits because Arch Coal will be expanding into other areas and maybe even expand into those areas before other companies do. Arch Coal should take the lead here and benefit at the same time."

Croitienne Ganmoryn FL 34480-8122

"We're trying to SAVE the Earth, not abuse it even more!"

Sara Gann

VA 22213-1113

"No way should pristine forests be ruined to benefit a private coal company. There should be no loopholes in the CO Roadless Rule."

Elinor Gannon

"This is a bad idea on every front! It is bad for the environment and the forest! Do not allow this to happen!"

Michael Gannon NY 10598-3504

"Stop all coal mining. It's dangerous. Destructive and outdated. It's all about greed. No more!"

Robert Gans NY 10016

"We need to protect our planet. Stop destroying it"

Edward Ganshirt MA 02420-3720

"Just say no."

Regina Garabedian CA 94598-2812

"Is this country going to be devoid of all its natural resources for the sake of big corporations and government bureaucracy? When will it ever end? When it does, it will be too late to undue."

Misty Garber OR 97224-7054

"We have other resources to use that will cause alot less damage to our planet and animals."

Paige Garberding WA 98104-2677

"Coal mining is destructive and dirty; burning coal is destructive and dangerous to our health and the environment. Don't sell out our children to Arch profiteers."

Gregory Garbulinski MI 48446-8307

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Nicolas Garces

"Please save our forests! They are the lungs of our nation."

Lydia Garcia CA 92821-2855

"It is the responsibility of everyone to preserve our forests...nature in general for our future, our children and to protect and sustain life human, animal or biological. Quit destroying our world."

Mary Garcia CA 91601-4007

"STOP raping our forests!! What are you leaving for the generations to come?? How can you not care about our planet and its children."

Mark Garcia CA 94025-3663

"When will this madness stop. For the sake of the planet and all life, do not adopt this proposal."

Christy Garcia FL 33186-1804

"Leave the last of Americas forests alone!"

Leah Garcia

NM 87120-2923

"We cannot afford to keep destroying our environment. We will pay a high price if we continue to do so."

Angel Garcia NY 10455-2215

"I want my daughter and grandson who have both suffered from asthma to be living in a pollution-free America. Make that possible by reducing coal pollution."

Everardo B. Garcia TX 77530-2257

"To stop coal mining : 1st would stop earth quakes. 2nd stop/easy Global warming 3rd improve the World Enviromentally. For the sake of Future Generations.....Everardo B.Garcia"

Carola Garcia Manzano GA 30345-1365

"We need to change our way of life now to preserve or life tomorrow"

Todd Garcia-bish PA 16002-9362

"I don't believe in corporate welfare, which is what this is."

Timothy Gardner CA 95677

"Coal should be phased out , and solar should be the new norm. It will replace the jobs that were lost by miners, giving them a chance to merge into solar projects in hard hit states."

Angela Gardner CA 91745-5826

"We are feeling the effects of climate change which is caused by the use of fossil fuels (oil, natural gas, and coal). I live in California where we have had a drought for close to 5 years. We need to stop using fossil fuels and instead develop accessible green energy through solar and wind. Giving the greenlight for the fossil fuel industry to do whatever they want on publicly funded land is unfair to taxpayers and also an outdated policy that only the fossil fuel industry profits at the expense of our planet."

William Gardner MI 49622

"leave the coal in the ground."

Adrienne Dollyhigh Gardner NC 27030-9297

"The Forest Service it should not allow Arch Coal to reap profits while adding huge amounts of climate pollution to our atmosphere, all at the expense of wild, roadless forest!"

Harold Gardner PA 17015-7707

"There is climate change without a doubt. I am a PhD scientist. Coal, especially high sulfur coal, is a major CO2 polluter. Besides, road-less federal lands should be kept pristine for future generations. Enough is enough!"

Louise Gardner SC 29316-5101

"I thought that the United States and the rest of the countries meeting in Paris were making commitments to reduce the use of coal. Why should we allow one company to destroy forests and make huge profits on a fuel that is on its way out. The loophole needs to be closed permanently. There is no longer a place for it in a world that must deal with climate change. Many lives could be affected by the decision that you make. I hope that their lives will change for the better. Thank you for considering my thoughts on this matter."

Holly Gardner TX 75220-3755

"Keep it in the ground. Everywhere!"

Susan Garelik PA 19081-1607

"Thank you for reading my letter. PLEASE KEEP THIS COAL IN THE GROUND AND PRESERVE THE INTEGRITY OF THESE LANDS FOR ALL OF US"

Linda Garfield CA 95064-1077

"Please, no more coal mining. Please, no more road building in roadless areas."

Patricia Garhartt NY 12144-3837

"Please, do not reopen the loophole for Arch Coal, and allow thousands of acres of pristine forests and wild lands to be bulldozed."

Amber Garlan MN 55102-1184

"Please close the loophole that will allow Arch Coal--the second-largest coal company in the United States--to bulldoze across thousands of acres of pristine roadless forests."

Patricia Garland

"Please protect our valuable wilderness. We need to focus our "energy" on renewable sources such as solar. In 1969 we put a man on the moon, because it was a goal. We need to do the same with solar to make it more efficient and affordable. Allowing a company to destroy our ecosystems to produce carbon spewing fuel and contribute to destroying our planet due to global warming, would be a terrible decision."

Gerard Garland AK 99827-1253

"Leave the coal in the ground"

Randall Garland AZ 85711-4624

"Please allow our great nation to preserve some of its pristine wilderness. Profit is not everything."

Leah Garland CA 90049-4406

"We should NOT be using coal for obvious reasons. They contribute the most to GHG. Why why why would we take down our precious trees which help us all to breathe, to let an outdated fossil fuel to be extracted."

Denise Garland NC 28227-6885

"Bulldozing forests does not make sense as they are on the front lines of slowing climate change. Coal is dirty and toxic. Find a clean solution!"

Trisha Garland RI 02874-3906

"When will the madness end? arch Coal must be stopped."

Caroline Garland WA 98221-8210

"This shouldn't even be an issue. Stop the coal mining, especially in forest areas."

Sharon Garland MD 21703-2819

"Reject a loophole that would allow the second-largest coal company in the United States to bulldoze thousands of acres of pristine roadless forests. Protect our roadless forests now! No loophole for Arch

Coal! People, wildlife and Planet over profit!"

Bruce Garlinger CA 93287

"We should leave coal in the ground. This loophole only benefits the 1% of Americans, thus screwing the 99%."

Marie Garlock NC 27701-2182

"This is an insane and ill-advised proposal that benefits 1 corporation at the expense of all the citizens, lands, animals, water sources, air, and economies and democracy you are tasked with serving. Thank you for doing your job in the most ethical, sensible, cost-efficient way possible: refuse any current and ban all future coal mining on roadless forests."

Toni Garmon GA 30534-5732

"YOU PEOPLE HAVE LOST YOUR MINDS AND YOUR MORALS!!! YOU WORK FOR US NOT BIG COAL..... REMEMBER ????? OR HAVE YOU SOLD US OUT TOO ??"

Jude Garner IL 60014-6807

"It is time the world all goes green. Help save our only planet we live on."

S Garr

OR 97218-2547

"Ridiculous- don't rape our land for profit."

William Garrard, Jr.

NC 28601-8207

"Keep dirty coal in the ground for the sake of our children and the future of our planet."

Liz Garratt

IN 46234-7717

"Please put wildlife and nature above corporate profits. Don't allow coal mining is roadless forests. The forests are home to the animals and always have been, How would you like it if someone started to mine for coal in your home?"

Luke Garrett MI 48166-9465

"These are not your lands to do what you will! These lands are the peoples. I think the Forest service needs to be re-worked from the top down, if they dont get it... we will put someone with more compassion into the offices of the people who decide to go threw with this."

Steve Garrett OR 97411-8873

"Please, keep our lands pristine and stop burning coal which adds to our green house gas problem!"

M Garrett

UT 84095-2254

"No. No. No. No mining in this area. No. No. No."

Anita Garrison FL 32008-2573

"Nature needs what forests we have left which means we need them. Without nature including the trees and animals we cannot exist. Please do not bulldoze this precious land. We do not need more coal.

Stopping this action is a step forward to using greener options as in solar power. We need you not to continue this destruction as well as you yourselves. Think about it. Thank you."

Kima Garrison

OR 97211-

"federal lands should be preserved for all to enjoy....not for ranchers or miners to exploit and make money off of."