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Comments:

I have property within a few miles of this trail. I am not in agreement with this relocation for the following reasons. 1. It will now be considered a non-motorized trail. We have very few left in that area. You have taken away Trespass, Cottonwood, sheep creek to Rock creek, how much more are you going to take from us? 2. The new trail location is unrealistic and way to steep (especially for motorized). I can tell you haven't spent much time there. We already have high altitude trails. Keep our existing low altitude trail with motorized. 3. You are asking us to comment on a trail that has only been looked at on paper and computer-need more time. 4. The proposed trail would be put right through prime elk habitat. The traffic would force the herds that stay on the West slope of Trespass down onto private where the existing trail is now. As it is currently, because the current trail goes through private land the elk move up the mountain side and stay where the new proposed trail is located. Now we have hunting possibilities on the West slope but if you re-route the trail through the middle of the West slope all the elk will be down on private with less opportunity for hunting. I have spent 40 years in this exact location we are discussing and it is way to steep and costly to put a trail through this proposed site. We have a trail existing and we do not need to spend this kind of money to relocate it. Let's use the money to improve existing trails (specifically #267). We need more time to look at everything related to this. This is just one more way to close off motorized travel. These plans ruin our way of life. Please quit changing our way of life!

Thanks for listening,  
Shaun Jones