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Max E. Taylor, Chairman
Board of Supervisors
Navajo County
Holbrook, Arizona 86025

Dear Mr. Taylor:

I wish to thank you for your letter concerning the Inventory of Roadless Areas which gives your comments and expresses your opposition to a recommendation for further study of the Chevelon and Leonard Canyon Roadless Areas.

I am receiving all such letters, and the comments which were made at the public meeting in Winslow, Arizona, on April 17. I will relay those comments, with my recommendations, to the Regional Forester early in June. He, in turn, will make his recommendations to the Chief by the end of June.

We wanted extensive public input on the questions relating to these areas and I am pleased with the interest shown. Such participation is important in helping us make proper decisions for the management of the lands in the National Forest System.

Sincerely,

J. S. TIXIER
Forest Supervisor