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From: Susan Doran <cowcanyonbluff@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 29, 2023 4:47 PM
To: Office
Subject: SITLA Petition to Disconnect and the Bears Ears Land Swap

I urge the town of Bluff to do everything in its powers to prevent the very rude lawyer , Bruce Baird and his client, the Actons from Prevailing in their shady attempt to disconnect 9500 acres from our Bluff City Limits. This is preposterous as is the total disregard of SITLA for our incorporated borders. The whole thing has a bad smell.

I further urge the town of Bluff to work diligently to preserve the integrity of the Bluff River Trail. The two east and west parcels involved in a BLM/SITLA swap need protection. My sincere hope is that these parcels and also the third along the highway remain BLM. Phil Lyman, seems bent on revenge.

I will also comment of the SITLA lease of 27 acres adjacent to Bluff Dwellings. As an adjoining landowner, I cringe at more culturally inappropriate development further choking the Canyon. I urge tribal members to comment on the crass commercialism Of Tepees, ziplines and destruction of culturally sensitive landscapes. It is very disheartening dealing with the likes of SITLA who could care less what locals think.

I have true respect and appreciation to all of you and your hard work. It takes a village. May we prevail.

Sincerely,

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