## Williams Landscape, Pagosa

Study Group Comment Sheet Summary

Primary Uses	Concerns	Opportunities
All Uses	ATVs are causing resource damage	Better maps and signage
Forest Restoration	Camping impacts on riparian areas	Close existing travel routes
Grazing	Hunters cause resource damage	Expand wilderness area
Hiking	Loss of Old Growth	Keep area open to multiple use
Multiple Uses	Motorized routes being created illegally	Maintain traditional economic activities on forest
Nature Observation	Motorized uses disrupt solitude	Manage for ecosystem health, human uses secondary
Other	New roads from logging	Manage forest for water quality
Wildlife Habitat	Overcrowding	More enforcement
	Over-use is causing resource damage	New route creation
	Timber - preserve old growth	Open up new areas to prevent conflict and overcrowding
	Timber stands unhealthy - fire danger	Stewardship - communication and cooperation between user groups
		Stewardship - user education opportunities
		Timber - Use forest thinning as economic input and habitat management
		Timber thinning but not economic based harvest

Outstanding Features		
Diverse terrain		
Multiple use recreation opportunities		
Recreation opportunities close to communities		
Unique and beautiful scenery		
Good wildlife habitat		
Wilderness Access		

Note: This is a summary of some of the themes contained in the lcon notes sheets, it is not comprehensive and is not a final analysis.