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Sincerely,

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Leave Nature to Nature it controls so much more then one thinks. It gives us oxygen, gives us a place to get away from the cities, a place to relax. This is Not a place for personal greed nor profit but a place to learn for future generations!!

GIVE YOUR KIDS AND OUR KIDS A FUTURE TO SEE NATURE.

Thank you and future generations will thank you too.

Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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