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Jim Ruby, Executive Secretary  
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Wyoming Environmental Quality Council  
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122 West 25 Street, Room 1714  
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Gentlemen:

We are writing to support the designation of the Sand Creek Roadless Area as "Rare and Uncommon" under Wyoming law.

The area has already met many of the criteria developed in order to comply with this designation, some of the most important being the trout fishery, the scenic beauty and the diversity of plant and animal life. Additionally we have observed firsthand with mining in our area the profound repercussions suffered by the land, the water supply and the people. "Reclamation," even done according to specifications, never returns the land to its original state. And once changed, these scars remain forever.

Please help keep Sand Creek protected.

Yours very truly,

*Bob Antior - Judy Antior*

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