

Erik Molvar, 04:33 PM 10/23/2007 -0500, Re: Adobe Town comments due today!

To: Erik Molvar <erik@voiceforthewild.org>
 From: William Turnbull <tturnbull@fieldmuseum.org>
 Subject: Re: Adobe Town comments due today!
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Terri A. Lorenzon, Director
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Erik, Here is my hasty comment re. AdobeTown Very Rare or Uncommon.

AdobeTown, the wildest and most picturesque part of the Washakie Basin, deserves protection from encroachments that would damage these features. It is a rapidly eroding and fragile terrain. The Eocene sediments it contains have yielded an impressive fossil record: important remains are held by the U.S. National Museum, the American Museum of Natural History, the Carnegie Museum, the University of Wyoming and the Field Museum. In the past others have reported on its fossils, and I have reported on it many times (1956; 1958b,e; 1959; 1961; 1972, 1978b,c; 1987b; 1988; 1990b,c; 1991a; 1993a,b; 1995b; 1996b,d,e; 1999a; 2001a; 2002c; 2004b, and now in 2007 with the McGee, Turnbull, Simpson report on the Coryphodon Quarry at the Soc. Vertebrate Paleontology meeting in Austin, Texas last week). It must be protected.

Good luck with this effort. Sincerely, Bill

At 12:02 PM 10/23/2007 -0700, you wrote:

Dear Bill,

If you could fax your comments to us at (307) 742-7989 before 6 p.m. MST, that would be most helpful, and we'll carry them to Rock Springs!

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