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We are campers here in NM. We are NM residents. I understand the fees maybe going up. I think the state of NM might think about what it will do to our NM residents here. We are one of the poorest states in the country and it will hurt our retired and elderly from coming out and enjoying our beautiful state. Some of our residents here use the annual pass for camping and fishing. With them being on fixed incomes it will take away what they enjoy in their lives. Our out of staters will be upset but will still come. I think the state needs to look at possibly raising our fees for certain things and come up with a senior pass at half price like what national parks do. There are other fees the state can charge for instead of hurting our elderly and retired. Please thank about what you are going to do to our economy. Thank you for your time. Ken Todd