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Rep. John Faso  
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Washington, DC 20515

Dear Rep. John Faso,

Our United States of America is blessed with a great abundance of beautiful national parks, forests, wildlife refuges and monuments, many with breath-taking vistas and significant ecological or archaeological value. Recently, however, the House of Representatives approved a new rules package that, among other things, will make significantly easier the transfer of federal lands to the states. I believe that such transfers may lead to the eventual desecration of some of our national treasures, and I urge you to block future proposed transfers. I fear that individual states may be much more likely than our federal government to sell off, develop, or industrialize newly acquired lands to private parties in order to meet various local financial difficulties. Public lands belong to all Americans and they should be managed so as to benefit all Americans, including our children, grandchildren, and generations of the future.

I urge you as my representative to help protect our country's valuable natural assets. I strongly urge you to:

- oppose legislation that proposes the sale or disposal of our country's public lands or that proposes the transfer of public lands to states;
- argue against initiatives that will limit our voice in how public lands are used, managed, and stewarded;
- fight against the repeal of regulations that protect the integrity of our public lands;
- oppose attacks on public land agencies, including budget cuts and limiting their authority.

Our country's public lands must be preserved and protected for all Americans to enjoy and appreciate.

Sincerely,

Your Name Here