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Dear North Dakota Senate,

Thank you for this opportunity to write to you about the Theodore Roosevelt National Park Wild Horse and Longhorn steer proposed changes. I would like to say that I'm in agreement with the United Tribes of North Dakota's recent letter in support of the animals maintaining their current home while supporting the rich cultural history that has been part of the park for decades. It is heartwarming to see the outpouring of support from your state and surrounding communities in support of the animals remaining on their land and the land of the indigenous people. Apparently I leaned that the Nokota horses were also a part of this legacy at one time.

I have included also a photo of part of the letter I sent to Congress at the beginning of this journey. I am so grateful to the Tourism Board, the people of Medora, the North Dakota government, Chasing Horses Wild Horse Advocates and the North Dakota media for their efforts as well.

Warm regards and with hope for a positive outcome,

Ann Ryan, MD