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North Dakota House Agriculture Committee

Dear Chair and Committee Members,

My name is Stacey Lumley and I live in Montgomery, New York.

I am here today to ask that you vote in favor of Senate Bill 2331. This Bill would create the formation of a working group to work with Theodore Roosevelt National Park to help manage the wild horses responsibly. The resolution before you is asking our federal legislators to help get federal protection for this herd since they are not protected under the Wild and Free Roaming Horse and Burro Act.

I have travelled to your beautiful State many times, specifically to Theodore Roosevelt National Park to see the wild horses in the park again. My first trip out West our first “big” stop was Teddy Roosevelt Park. The first animals we saw were bison and boy, they are impressive and exciting to see one in person. Then we found a herd of wild horses and I have been hooked on the different bands in this park ever since. They are this park to me. They are a magical experience teamed with history. They are the reason I come back to North Dakota and back to that park.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

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