

SB 2331 – I am writing to you today to ask that you give a "DO PASS" on SB 2331.

SB 2331 will form a working group to work with Theodore Roosevelt National Park to manage the wild horses. If we don't take action now to ensure that North Dakota's ONLY wild horse herd always remain in the park it might be too late.

Blake McCann's (National Park Service) has stated – they are trying to **“halt reproduction of this herd”!** This is totally unacceptable and oversight is needed now!

The continued and aggressive (and unfounded) use of GonaCon on this herd CAN make mares foal out of season, as we have seen become all too common with the TRNP herd. The brutal North Dakota winters make it hard on these young babies.

The time is right for this to happen!

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