Chair & Committee Members, My name is Linda Haake from Albany, New York.

Please pass SB2331. This bill would create the formation of a working group that would work with Theodore Roosevelt National Park to help manage the wild horses. The park has a long history of continually trying to get rid of the horses. They are using Gona Con in a way that is far too aggressive for typical birth control. There needs to be some level of oversight to make sure the horses remain for generations to come.

I enjoy following these horses on the Facebook posts by Chasing Horses Wild Horse Advocates. I look forward to the pictures and stories of these amazing wild horses that they share. It brightens my day! It would be a shame if future generations were not able to enjoy them too!

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Linda Haake