

## Communication from Public

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Banding the use of horses in rodeos & shows is wrong. It's part of a culture, owners of horses treat them as family/ children and take very well care of them. When I use to go to a show I'd be so amazed because I didn't have it growing up unlike my father he grew up with horses & other animals. As a first generation living in the United States, I hardly got anytime with horses because it's hard to keep them here unless you have money or have a big space for them & time, unlike Mexico we have them because we have the time to take care of them. But the people who I know have horses here take such good care of them & take there time to go look out for them. Why? Because in our culture animals especially horses are part of us, it's something that keeps us moving. Children that are upcoming need to be able to witness a charro show or be able to ride them when seen. Children and adults when seeing a horse out or near by they get excited , why? Because they aren't seen much or when they have the shows we can sit down, enjoy a taco of churro, amazed by what's going on around us. Taking care of horses is hard but when you have patience , love and most of all care for the horses anything is possible. Please do not band them from shows & many other activities it is a part of us and the community.