

The Great Spirit created Man and Woman in his own image. In doing so, both were created as equals. Both depending on each other in order to survive. Great respect was shown for each other; in doing so, happiness and contentment was achieved then, as it should be now.

The connecting of the Hair makes them one person; for happiness or contentment cannot be achieved without each other.

The Canyons are represented by the purples in the middle ground, where the people were created. These canyons are Sacred, and should be so treated at all times.

The Reservation is pictured to represent the land that is ours, treat it well.



The Reservation is our heritage and the heritage of our children yet unborn. Be good to our land and it will continue to be good to us.

The Sun is the symbol of life, without it nothing is possible - plants don't grow - there will be no life - nothing. The Sun also represents the dawn of the Hualapai people. Through hard work, determination and education, everything is possible and we are assured bigger and brighter days ahead.

The Tracks in the middle represent the coyote and other animals which were here before us.

The Green around the symbol are pine trees, representing our name Hualapai - PEOPLE OF THE TALL PINES -

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Subject: Hualapai Tribal Nation Comments on the *Preliminary Draft Map of Potential Energy Corridors on Federal Lands*

Dear Sirs/Madams:

This comment is on behalf of the Hualapai Tribal Nation in northwestern Arizona.

The preliminary map of potential energy corridors on federal lands is unclear with respect to Tribal lands. It appears that the corridor north of Kingman, Arizona stops at the Hualapai reservation boundary. However, the exact location is not discernable and it is unclear whether this corridor will link with the existing energy corridors on our reservation. The Agencies planning this action have not contacted our Tribal Government to establish the connecting point.

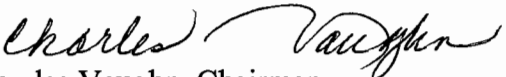
Furthermore, consultation has not taken place between the Hualapai Tribe and the Agencies regarding the location of the corridor in relation to Hualapai archeological and cultural sites off the reservation. Therefore, I request that before the final corridor is established that you please coordinate with our Tribal government.

In addition, the plans for the federal corridors are ambiguous with respect to future pipelines and transmission lines. The map on the internet shows the corridor stopping at our reservation boundary. However, in an information meeting conducted by your office in Las Vegas, a map showed the corridor crossing our reservation. The establishment of a corridor on Indian or federal land must be fully assessed by affected Tribes to determine the impacts to applicable natural and archeological/cultural resources.

Since the corridor may cross our reservation boundary, the Hualapai Tribe must be consulted before planning to continue through our reservation. We insist that you involve us early in any energy delivery plan that would implicate future use of our Tribal lands.

Your cooperation with this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,


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