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I'm looking to relocate out of Scottsdale, AZ and Taos is calling me back after my first & only visit 40 years ago.

Just last week I spent four days camping & hiking along the Rio Grande canyon. Observing the fishermen, rafters & even horseback riders enjoying the waters brought a smile to my face.

Driving up to Taos Ski Village, I had run out of water & was getting thirsty. Surprise, surprise, there was the Rio Hondo rushing beside the roadway! I filled my water bottle with this beautiful, clear water, treated it with my UV filter and quenched my thirst. "What a gift," I thought.

I urge you to designate all waters in New Mexico under petition for ONRW as such.

We can not live without clean water. The Western US is drying up. It's critical TO ALL of us to protect our streams & rivers.

Thank you for your consideration.