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Hon. Carl Hayden,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Carl:

I have your favor of the ninth and have examined the map of the proposed Grand Canyon National Park with the Board of Supervisors. There certainly can be no possible benefit derived to the Government in extending the proposed lines of the Grand Canyon National Park as far west as they are extended, and I am sure that this must have been done in error. It may be that it is desirable to take in Supai Canyon or that portion containing the water fall, but west of that there can be no scenic or other attraction that would be of interest as a National Park. It simply takes in a lot of winter grazing land now used by a lot of cattlemen north of Seligman, and we certainly want to be heard in the matter if any such boundary line is contemplated. The Grand Canyon National Park may be all right and if it must be made, don't let them take away all of the grazing lands of Northern Arizona in doing so. It certainly is of no use as a National Park and the lines should be withdrawn many miles from the west boundary that is now proposed. The lines run clear to the Hualapai Indian Reservation which is miles away from any National Park proposition and should not be allowed in a National Park. May I trouble you again as to any probability of any lines being established.

With kindest regards to you and yours, I am as ever.

Yours very truly.

President. Mullous