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Sirs

I understand that you are currently determining navigability on all Az water courses so that the state may claim those determined navigable. Your job is so important to the citizens of Arizona. We value and enjoy "our" rivers and streams and would suffer irreparable loss were they to be sucked dry by commercial developers or otherwise spoiled by development.

I own a kayak and have paddled the Lower Salt as well as tubing it and the Gila many times with friends and family. I've also rafted (non commercial) the Gila and Upper Salt. These 3 I know from personal experience are most certainly navigable. Boating these wonderful desert rivers has given me much pleasure, provide recreation and never-to-be-forgotten memories. I hope they continue to be available to us for all time to come. I hope to kayak some of the others under your consideration when their water flow is more appropriate. Meanwhile, I'm counting on you to assure that they will be available to me.

not turned over to developers to turn into gravel
or other private commercial exploitation.

Sincerely

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