

Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre, and Gunnison National Forests
Forest Plan Revision - Comment Form

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Does your comment pertain to a specific geographic area(s)? If so, please circle the area name(s):

Grand Mesa North Fork Valley Gunnison Basin San Juans Uncompahgre Plateau Other: _____

Please circle the resource(s) your comment pertains to:

Fire Wildlife Timber Recreation Soil, Air and Water Resources Access Designated Areas Range

Cultural and Historic Resources Infrastructure Minerals and Energy Other: _____

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What issues or changes have you noticed regarding this resource? _____

ORV's are destroying our national forests as it becomes increasingly difficult to enjoy wild areas in peace + quiet.

What is or isn't working regarding this resource and current management? 1. More road closures needed to create BUFFER ZONES around wilderness boundaries 2. More USFS personnel in the field needed to protect wild areas from trespassing ORV's 3. More signs needed clearly specifying which trails are CLOSED to motor vehicles and what penalties will be incurred for violations

What suggestions do you have to improve management of this resource through the revised Forest Plan? _____

1. More wilderness designation; propose as much as possible. Save every acre 2. Separate conflicting uses; protect zero-impact users such as hikers + cross-country skiers from motorized users 3. Create non-motorized areas for WINTER use. Wilderness is often inaccessible in winter; Front country areas are needed which prohibit snowmobiles.

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