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Custer Gallatin National Forest ☐ Attn: Forest Plan Revision Team P.O. Box 130, Bozeman, MT 59771

## Dear Foresters,

With major die-offs of animals around the world, and massive extinctions forecast for the future, now is the time -- and possibly the last chance we'll get -- to preserve wild lands so vital to survival of a diversity of animal species, including our own. Along with many friends and neighbors, I hope you will act in defense of our natural heritage by adopting Alternative D which recommends a suitable percentage of forest as wilderness, not only in the Gallatin Range, but in other vital regions of the Custer Gallatin National Forest such as the unique and wonderful Crazy Mountains.

To some, there is never a right time to set aside land as wilderness, and many before us have fought hard for the wilderness we have today. But what a magnificent legacy to leave for future generations. Please take the long view and do the right thing.

Sincerely,

Susan Regele

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