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Granite Meadows Project

Dear Mr. Lannom:

As a regular user of the roads and trails in the McCall/New Meadows area, I am interested in your Granite Meadows proposal. At 83 years of age, I use my small trail bikes more all the time!

Your proposal is well researched but so broad in this first publication, all I can comment on is to comment on one tiny item for which I am very familiar.

On the enclosed map, I have marked two roads listed as "Maintain Forest Service Road". This is in contradiction of your Travel Plan Map that shows no roads there. If the map shows no roads, they are not at present legally open. If not on the map, they are closed.

I have walked in on these roads only to find ATVs and trucks there. I have asked the New Meadows district ranger to flat sign those roads to no avail. The road on the north side should be closed. It goes nowhere. I like to back my pickup/camper in a few yards in early September to camp there. The south road is now too far for me to walk but would be a nice evening ride on my Honda.

Please keep me on your paper mailing list.

Sincerely,

Richard Renstrom

Figure 5. Watershed Restoration Treatments – West Side

