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Please note that I OPPOSE any additional roads or additional areas for mechanized travel in the Shoshone N.F. I have hiked and backpacked in the Shoshone, and it is in pretty much of a mess. So many of the trails are overused by ATV's, and even horses. There has been a LOT of vegetation removed/abused throughout the Shoshone. There is very little (if any) enforcement of current rules regarding ATV use areas. I know that a lot of this is due to the lack of funding for the National Forests, and that needs to change.

If there are more roads created, then there will just be more ATV users who will "take off" from the existing roads (as they do now), and ruin more of the forest.

I have also helped work on a couple of C.D.T. trail projects. I WOULD like to see the C.D.T. get built through that area of the Shoshone where one has to hike several forest service roads.

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