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Hello, I would like to give my comments/opinion on the proposed SNF Travel Plans.

First would be the the Winter motorized travel NZ-04W proposal. I feel this would be a good option with lots of potential. This would open up opportunity for other activities like cross country skiing, snowshoeing, biking. This would also help with parking concerns as they would not have to park in the junction if this trail was marked.

Second would be the width restriction. This creates concern as there are many who have made investments to purchase tracks to travel over the snow to recreate, and also to those who use them to access their property. This is also a concern to me personally as my father who is a quadriplegic in a wheelchair uses a SXS vehicle as his only means to get out and enjoy recreating both summer and winter.

Third is the winter use dates in which I disagree with. There is a lot of data out there to support earlier opening and later closing dates using SNOTEL and historical use. I also disagree with high and low elevation dates. I feel the current law in place is sufficient. Lastly I would like to add that that OSV travel be allowed on routes in the MVUM for other vehicles year round. This would also allow access for hunters, trappers and the disabled without worry about dates.

Thank you for your time.

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