

To the Shoshone National Forest Travel Management Team,

I would like to comment on proposal NZ-43. This is a seasonal closure proposal. It does not take into consideration spring black bear hunting. I have used this road for many years to access the upper elevation areas to hunt bears, as do many other folks. This road melts off very soon in the spring, and has remained in the same overall condition for decades, with no maintenance from the SNF. It is also a road that provides shoulder season access to the SNF, with no resource issues, and no maintenance. There are many of these seasonal restrictions proposed, and all it does is concentrate the use in the spring. This road does not warrant being closed after May 1st.

Thank you,

Dustin Rosencranse,

