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Baker Mountain Guides’ proposal for the Twin Sisters Area seems reasonable. It is not accessible for motorized and does not impede existing users and access.

Whatcom County Snowmobile Club has several huts in place and should just be able add on to existing permit.

They have a proven record. The club huts are all built and maintained by club volunteers using donated materials. They are primarily for safety and comfort for all user groups, there are no overnight stays allowed except for emergencies. The club huts leave no negative impact.

Aspire Adventure Running and Round House Touring are both in snow parks that are overused and underfunded. The grooming money for the state is short $500,000.00. Our grooming program is extremely underfunded. Putting these Yurts in these snow parks is wrong because so much impact on the traffic, lack of parking and extra use in these two areas is not good. There is no parking lot in either of these two snow parks (Anderson Watson & Glacier Creek). Parking vehicles over night or multiple nights would cause parking and grooming issues. Cars will get snowed in. The snowmobile clubs have helped develop and maintain these roads for over 50 years. For the good of all user groups.

RHT on the 1107 rd. your structure would be within 20' of the motorized snowmobiles trail I would think for safety reasons that would be a big NO. Both for noise and safety. RHT should work with the Forest Service to find a place that is safer and more suitable for all user groups with plenty of parking and user-friendly area.

Thank You toTed and the rest of the staff for having the open meeting and allowing the comment period.