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Comments: To whom it may concern:

I am writing to you from the Northeast in the state of Connecticut. This is where I reside but, I spend most of my winters on the road with my significant other and our toys, who go just about every where we go. We have a bucket list a mile long of places we will visit to ride, whether by truck and trailer or plane and rentals. We are avid snowmobile and Motorsports enthusiasts alike, who LIVE for our sports. We ride for our peace and enjoyment as, it is very much what our life revolves around. We save all our money we can, to afford our sport and, we do everything we can to support and keep sledding alive. Including but not limited to, volunteering on snowmobile club projects, donations we raise for different clubs and members of the community and so much more. The snowmobile community is a very tight knit sled family and, we all make memories together and look forward to our annual trips and happy times together. Life is so short and precious and, everyone deserves to be happy, especially when we are hurting no one. Some of us are disabled and, this is the only thing we get to do, for whatever reasons. Sledding is actually highly therapeutic for me, being out in nature with our machines, taking us to places my body alone, could never take me to. I happen to run, the current worlds largest all ladies snowmobile group on Facebook. We are all enjoying other motorized sports as well, when we are not riding our snow ponies. We love to be outdoors and we love to be with each other outdoors. There are several of us who have businesses that depend on our sports and, the people who travel to our different areas around the world. Including Alaska. We are particularly looking forward to coming to visit for one of our Anniversary's and, of course ride and meet up with ladies and gentleman from our groups there. I have been planning this trip for a few years now and, would be absolutely broken hearted and appalled if we have to cancel because of this issue.

Motorized use is considered a "Traditional Use" of the Church national forest lands. I wouldn't want to see any more of our traditions taken away. So much more can be done to help. We as sledders and Motorsports enthusiasts are not the problem. All the sledders I know have huge hearts and would give the shirts off their backs to help and do things to make change but, change that is best and logical for all.

Let's all stand together for change and, actually get something beneficial done, rather wasting a ton of money on the wrong fight to gain nothing but a massive loss for many.

I support Alternative(B).

Warm regards,

Sharon Smith

Fearless Leader

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