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Comments: I applaud Cheryl Probert for reconsidering the plan decision and return the Fish Lake Trail to motorized use! By doing so, you are being fair to ALL users of the forest. I am a hiker and backpacker; however, I believe public lands must provide access to ALL members of the public. The Fish Lake Trail represents a small sliver of access, yet vital and historical access for many users. It is logical to me to slightly adjust the elk habitat standard to a realistic goal; 100% is utopia, while 91-98% represents the reality of the environmental factors that impact elk habitat. Finally, as a member of the Efficient Public Collaborative, after careful consideration of this topic by a variety of forest users in 2020-2021, our group determined the highest and best use of the Fish Lake Trail was to leave it as a motorized trail. I support your actions.