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Comments: Thank you for requesting public comment to discuss multiple use for the Klamath National Forest. We understand that within two years a new revised forest service plan will be implemented and that it is highly likely that it will include multiple use areas.

As outdoor recreation enthusiasts we see great potential for a four season recreation opportunity in the West Haight Mountain and Alder Creek Divide areas located in the adaptive management area of the GooseNest Ranger District. The basin between the peaks lends itself to summertime hiking, camping, mountain biking, and horseback riding, all on existing logging roads. All that is lacking is a staging area and sanitation facilities.

Future winter-time activities could include; xcounrty skiing, snowshoeing, snowmobile/ATV use, and backcountry skiing, with potential CAT/alpine skiing.

We look forward to working with the Klamath National Forest once multiple use is included in the new long range forest service plan.

Sincerely, Richard Cowardin and the Alder Creek Divide board of directors