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Good morning all,

I am looking forward to skiing the Pole Creek Challenge this coming weekend with my kids and grandsons. I wanted to let all know how strongly we as a family feel about the proposed logging operations the USFS is planning.

As a family we have enjoyed the xcountry skiing on these trails for over 35 years and feel the area should be removed from any proposed logging.

Thanks, I feel the Powder Pass Nordic Club did a good job on depicting the downside of logging this area so will not expound upon these concerns but just wanted to emphasize the importance for our family.

Thanks for listening and bringing our voice to the table when the final decisions are made.

Jim Dawson - Buffalo WY--

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"I try to savor every quality outdoor experience I can. I canoe wild rivers, camp on desert islands in the southern sea, pack deep into remote wilderness by horse and foot, and these are all splendid things to do. ... And no amount of canoeing, hiking, exploring or fishing can really substitute for hunting." - from John Madson's Out Home