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Comments: To whom it may concern,

Regarding the Colville National Forest Plan I have the following comments to keep in mind Please:

1 - I think that Forest Health should be a main priority. This involves thinning operations, logging and prescribed burns where applicable. Areas of our forest are a fire danger and have disease problems.

2- I think that Forest access is also important for recreation, hunting, fire access and timber harvest in a sustainable and environmentally sound way.

3- Water quality and stream degradation is also an important issue. We've done enough damage and hopefully have learned from past mistakes.

I think that the "politics" of issues should not be continually holding back the time it takes to accomplish the task which are required to maintain a forest since we have altered the natural way the forest would take care of itself.

Best regards,

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