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Comments: Increase trail access in Colville National Forest, but not all of the list locations

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Dear Colville National Forest Plan Revision Team,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the revised Colville National Forest Plan.

As a hiker, I believe this plan will be very important to creating a sustainable future for outdoor recreation in Northeastern Washington.

In general I would like to see more trails, but the location of those trails relative to housing communities needs to be considered.

The Flowery Trails Community Association has been working for years to decrease the risk of wildfires in the area below the Flowery Trail Pass, Flowery Trail Road, and the Community. Limiting ability to decrease the fuel load in the Quartzite Inventoried Roadless Area could negative impact everything that has been done in the past and the future.

I have hiked a number of the others areas that are being considered most, if not all of these, do not negatively impact a housing community.

Sincerely,

Danial Baker