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Comments: Forest Plan Revision - Webinar Follow-up Comments

Please accept the following comments relative to the GMUG Forest Plan Revision Webinar that was conducted online on Thursday, 24 August 2017.

* Reference the Infrastructure Poster, Potential Need for Change, second bullet: Currently this bullet states: "Provide direction on decommissioning or closing roads and trails due to resource or safety concern". Recommend that the words "decommissioning or closing" be changed to "a suite or spectrum of route modifications to address resource or safety concerns." To use the term "decommission and closure" seems pre-decisional and there are often many other alternatives or strategies that can be used to address issues on roads and trails in addition to decommissioning or closure.

* Reference the Landownership, Use and Access Poster, Potential Need for Change: Recommend adding a bullet that includes language such as "review existing access corridors, routes, etc. across private property that provide public access to key and popular National Forest System Roads and or Trails and ensure legal public access easements or Rights of Way are established, documented and recorded."

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