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Comments: Pls include buffalo in C-G forest plan

To: Mary Erickson, Forest Supervisor  
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To Ms. Erickson,

I would like to comment on the Custer-Gallatin National Forest's revision of its forest plan, to recommend the inclusion of provisions for migratory buffalo in the plan. Considering that the population of wild buffalo in this country has been so drastically reduced, I would like to see provisions to allow a healthy population of migratory buffalo in our national forests, with plans to increase that population. A larger population of wild buffalo would allow for greater genetic diversity and would increase the chances of that population remaining large and healthy. Buffalo can improve the health and diversity of animal and plant species in our forests.

Please include provisions for buffalo in the revised plan and reverse the disastrous decline in the wild buffalo population in our country. Thank you for your time.

Regards,  
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