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Comments: Assessment of Existing Conditions/Need to Change Feedback

Dear Supervisor Erickson and the CGNF Forest Plan Revision Team

I am in support of the Buffalo Field Campaign's evaluation of the Custer Gallatin's Draft Assessment and agree there is a need to change the Forest Plan to identify wild buffalo as a Species of Conservation Concern and Focal Species.

I support the Regional Forester identifying wild buffalo as a Species of Conservation Concern on the Custer Gallatin National Forest.

Please review the information and use science to get the facts that qualifies wild buffalo for the list of Species of Conservation Concern to be decided by the Regional Forester.

I also support the Custer Gallatin identifying wild buffalo as a Focal Species on the Custer Gallatin National Forest.

It's time for the Custer Gallatin to do more for this keystone species and Congress needs to protect them and their habitat.

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