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Comments: To whom it may concern regarding limiting of areas for recreational snowmobile use: Limits to snowmobile usage in these areas has a greater negative impact on users than the "potential" positive improvement on the forest area. Snowmobiles provide winter accessability to some of California's most beautiful wilderness and scenery. Much of this area is too remote for access by snowshoe or other means for all but the most avid outdoors-person. New snowmobiles are quieter and reduce pollution significantly now. Our family has been traveling these trails for 12 years now and our young adult children are just beginning to learn to enjoy them. A family picnic in the woods, or a drive to a scenic mountain view are special times we have enjoyed here and want to be able to enjoy for many years ahead. Please don't take away Californian's ability to enjoy these beautiful lands in winter.