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Comments: Dear Mr Peterson

I am writing to let you know that I strongly favor maintaining the wilderness qualities that are currently protected in the Burn. This beautiful area which is close to the growing city of Missoula is greatly valued by hikers, fishermen, hunters, berry pickers, skiers, and many other outdoor enthusiasts as well as the businesses that rely on them. Equally important, it is a sanctuary for many species of wildlife, fish, and native plants that could be threatened by relaxing the protections the Burn currently enjoys as a road less wilderness study area. The fact that the Burn's wilderness qualities remain largely intact is the result in part of the efforts of many folks who love and appreciate the area, myself and my family included. Please protect this rare and valuable resource. Thank you for you consideration of my input.

Sincerely,

James T Roach