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Comments: Comments On Draft Wild and Scenic Suitability Report

Dear Nez Perce Clearwater National Forests,

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The Lochsa river is one of the most spectacular and special places in the country. I think it is critical that we protect this wild, wonderful places. They hold tremendous value for fish, wildlife, and recreationists. Please do the right thing and uphold the protections of the Lochsa River.

I am writing to ask that all 89 streams that you have found eligible for Wild and Scenic designation remain protected as eligible in the new forest plan, and to voice my support for their ultimate designation. If you finalize the Draft Suitability Report, I ask that all 89 streams be found suitable in the final report.

Thank you for considering these comments.

Sincerely, Lorri Epstein Hood River, OR 97031 Lorrieberle@hotmail.com