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Comments: Comments On Draft Wild and Scenic Suitability Report

Dear Nez Perce Clearwater National Forests,

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My name is Todd Benson and I have resided in Idaho all my 48 years. I grew up in Lewiston, ID and even worked at the mill for 4 years in the summers so I know a bit about pollution... I spent my entire childhood camping and fishing along the Selway, Lochsa and Clearwater Rivers. As a partial owner of one of the largest paddlesports suppliers in the world (Located in Idaho), clean water is paramount to our success. Protecting our waterways should be first and foremost in anything we do as Idahoans and Americans.

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.

Todd Benson

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Sincerely, Todd Benson Moscow, ID 83843 todd@nrs.com