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Dear Nez Perce Clearwater National Forests,

Dear colleague,

As a water resources engineer, boater, and mother, 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.

As someone who has studied and engineered rivers for nearly two decades, I am deeply familiar with the importance of conservation. There really is no way to fully restore the functions of a river once they have been lost. Protecting rivers from development is the only way to ensure that these critical resources are available for future generations.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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