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Comments: Please do not create anymore more wilderness in Idaho. Most of these areas are recreated with OHV, motorcycles, and mountain bikes and snowmobiles. Restricting the public from the opportunties they currently enjoy is not smart. It forces the largest public user groups into smaller areas and puts much more pressure on those small land areas. There are millions of acres of wilderness already available to the public. The user groups of all public recreation are enjoying these lands today, getting along, and taking care of the lands we have. There is no need for these lands to be under the wilderness designation and remove 97% of the public from their lands. Statics show that only 3% of the population visits wilderness. I urge you to actually manage the land for all forms of public recreation and help everyone share in harmony. Locking the land away from the bulk of the public is harmful. We can find alternative solutions to block resource extraction if that is the end goal. Keep public land open.