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Comments: Thank you for the opportunity to add input to this forest plan.

I'm a 58 year old man recovering from back surgery, who`s intends to use goats to carry my gear into the backcountry. I wish to have packgoats allowed in the GMUG national forests.

As member of the North American Pack Goat Association we practice the followig best practices when traveling in the backcounty with goats:

Identification: Collar with identification, ear tag or micochip or registered tattoo

Control: Direct human supervision at all times. Attached leads, tethered at night, bells attached to collars

Seperation: Avoid all contact with wildlife

Lost Packgoat: Every effort will be made to locate and recover.

Leave no Trace

Thank you