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Comments: Please reconsider your willingness to compromise on the issue of trail routes in the South Crazy Mountain range. There are two large concerns I have with the proposed land exchanges. My major concern is in setting a precedent of accepting private landholders claims to the right to close a trail that has clearly been long used as a public access. Regardless of the immediate benefits of parcel consolidation, avoidance of legal costs entailed by contesting the closure and accrued confidence in a working relationship with locals, all of which are admirable accomplishments, the possible future ramifications of acknowledging the genesis for this trade and acquiescing to landholders illegal actions negate any possible gains. In short: it looks good now and sounds reasonable, but it will bite us on down the trail.

Secondly, I'm an old lady. The new trail route is not accessible to me, and traverses an entirely different terrain.

Please stand firm and uphold our rights to original public access.

Thank you,

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