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Comments: The USFS is not serving the public in this proposed land swap. It is trading high-quality recreational property with great hunting and fishing for scree slopes that have very limited recreational value.

Consolidating unreachable terrain is not in the public's interest, rather it is in the interest of private property owners looking for more way to lock the public out.

The USFS has been negligent in failing to perfect its rights of access and continues to capitulate to private interests at the expense of the public it should be serving.

Sections 4 and 8 offer public access to great hunting and fishing (rock creek).

These lands are not landlocked. Perhaps USFS needs to encourage private owners to open up trails and secure easements rather than trying to further harm public access in the crazy mountains. Focus on land swaps that create better access, not harm access. Land swaps can be good but they have a history of giving the public the short end of the stick. Focus your time and energy on perfecting the easements you already own over trails, rather than abandoning these accesses then paying public money because the USFS didn't do its job and perfect the easements it already owns.