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Comments: I thoroughly support the proposed biological enhancement initiative plan including joint participation of public land users and administrators with the goal of increasing the overall health of the ecosystems within the identified land areas. The areas indicated in the proposed initiative are a tremendous resource for recreational public land users, wildlife inhabitants within the areas as well as being a sanctuary for many native plant species. Without this proactive and planned management program/process in place it is my opinion that these indicated areas face certain risks such as wildfire danger, invasive plant/animal presence, wildlife deterioration, etc. We have recently seen the horrific and devastating affects of the wildfires occurring in Australia. One can only wonder if a series of events such as those could have been avoided with a more proactive management program in place.

I have for many years frequented these areas that the proposal includes and greatly value what they provide for the native plant and animal populations as well as year round recreational opportunities that I hope to share with my children and they will share with theirs.