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Comments: I have recently reviewed the released Nez Perce-Clearwater Forest Plan Revision Draft Environmental Impact Statement and Draft Revised Forest Plan. None of the alternatives presented reflect the management I would like to see implemented for the Hoodoo Roadless Area. Please accept these comments into the formal record.

I have called Montana home since 1975. It is a rare and beautiful place that I love and cherish. I care about the Great Burn Wilderness, one of the largest in the lower 48. It is extremely important for mountain goat habitat and non-motorized recreational opportunities.

I love to hike the Great Burn. It is a treasure that cannot be replaced. There should NOT be snowmobiling allowed on the proposed 53,000 acres that might be opened to it. Wildlife need this area to remain wild so that they can continue to survive and thrive. Humans need wilderness to stay wild, too.

I am in favor of the entire Hoodoo Roadless area to remain and be managed as Recommended Wilderness.

Snowmobiling or other motorized use is unacceptable.

Rivers in this area should be protected as Wild and Scenic.

We need to protect what we love and treasure. Please hear the voices of we who see that the value of a place cannot be measured in dollars. If we allow the opening of our wild places to distraction and destruction, they are gone forever.

Thanks.

I appreciate your efforts the time and soul-searching that it requires. I hope you will keep our wild places wild.