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Comments:
Snowmobiling is big, repeat big business, on these trails systems. Due to the elevation, the trails within the scope of this project receive early snow, copious snow, and the snow last late in the season. As such, snowmobile trails, access routes and potential disruptions associated with temporary closures could significantly and negatively impact the trail system. As the plan specifies, I am unaware of any snowmobile trails that "not currently maintained" as per the project scope. Further, I'd HIGHLY advise contacting representatives from the impacted snowmobile clubs to ensure a smooth impact for snowmobilers - specifically the Woodford SnoBusters, Shaftsbury Sno-Pilots, Deerfield Valley Stump Jumpers, Wardsboro Pathginders, and Green Mtn Trail Blazers. DEFINITELY VT VAST and representative clubs should be actively engaged before trail decisions are made.