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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.

There are so few places left where it is possible to listen to....silence. Where you can hear the whoosh of a birds wings as it flies overhead, the plop of heavy snow falling from a tree limb, the tinkle of water trickling from beneath the snow.

Please preserve these quiet places for our children.

The introduction of snowmobiles - their loud motor noises and smell of gasoline - will tarnish the wildness forever.

I have camped at Heart Lake in the summer in near solitude. It was Awesome!

Please continue to manage the entire Hoodoo Roadless Area as a Wilderness

The introduction of motorized vehicles would be a travesty. We have enough motor sounds in our cities and towns. We need a place to reconnect with silence.

Please

Save our few remaining wild places for our children and grandchildren

Thank you for your (sometimes discouraging but always hopeful)