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Comments: Alternative X - No Action Alternative

I am a land owner in Idaho, Clearwater, and NezPerce County and have lived in Idaho for over 50 years. I am an avid outdoorsman, hunt & fish, collect wood & berries, and have been in almost all of these areas either on foot, on over the snow vehicles, or with the use of motorized vehicles. I have floated the rivers fished the tributaries and own a patented mining claim inside the NezPerce Clearwater national forest directly adjacent to one of the suggested areas being recommended for wilderness.

I have thoroughly read through the documentation on the suggested forest revision plan and am strongly opposed to alternatives W, Y, and Z and believe Alternative X or the no action alternative is what is best for Idaho, the people of Idaho, the people of the United States, and any visitors from outside the United States. I firmly believe Idaho has great resources for all of us to enjoy and even though suggested data shows a growth in visitors to our lands, I believe closing more area to over the snow or motorized vehicles will simply put additional strains on areas that are not closed, will do more harm, and will not lead to a positive experience for any groups. Idaho already has an abundant amount of primitive and road less areas that I would like to see reviewed and some of it opened up once again for all people to access, manage correctly but establishing appropriate commercial structures, log, and manage wild fires. These lands belong to the people and the people should have access.

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