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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 live in Missoula, but I have lived throughout montana. I am a carpenter and backcountry guide/mule packer primarily in the Bob. I have spent a great amount of time in the great burn, ski touring, fly fishing, riding horses, and hiking. It has become my favorite wild landscape in the greater bitterroot area. It provides true solitude, amazing wilde, and unique raw character. I have also been back there when dirtbikes and snowmobile have illegally been riding and it has compromised the wilderness atmosphere to an extreme amount. Im not even anti-machine, but this area is special and needs to be wilderness

I have taken numerous trips into the Burn. One that stands out, is a 3 day backcountry ski trip into the pearl lake basin in early May. We trekked in and mad a base camp near the lake and proceeded to ski through the mountains and basins for the next couple of days. IT was amazing to spend so much time way back there in silence and snow. It took a great amount of time and effort to get back there and we were rewarded with solitude and beauty. However the last day, as we were eating breakfast on the lakeshore we started hearing a motor. Sure enough a party of snowmobile illegally rode into the basin and began taring up all of the cirques and slopes. the sounds and smells carried throughout the valley and completely altered our experience and i'm sure the patterns of wildlife. This put a real damper on the trimp. This is defacto wilderness. It is pristine, silent, and healthy. Please keep this protected

as much as possible. there is such a limited supply of suitable wilderness left.

see my previous statement. If snowmobiles were electric than i could maybe be persuaded because im not anti-snow machine... It's really fun. But when you get way back into these deep basins the sounds and exhaust fill the environment and completely destroy the experience for non-motorized users and wildlife. No gas snow machines in hoodoo

pack rafted cayuse... totally wild. kelly is an amazing and wild trout stream. both deserve protection

dont allowed dirtbikes in the diamond lake, or missoul a lake regions. Switch over to electric motors only! its a win win. Motorized access but without noise and exhaust!

thanks for all your hard work. it's a difficult and thankless job!