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Comments: I recreate on public lands on OSV and motorcycles. The most important part of my first statement is PUBLIC LANDS! I've been sitting back and observing a huge push from the USFS and FW&P trying to, in their words, restore what's native to areas like "The Great Burn." My biggest question is, native to whom? My grandfather was born in 1899, my father in 1931 and I in 1971. Most of the things I've seen pushed and passed are not native to any of my 3 generations! My grandfather passed away in 2004 at 103 years old. His statement to me on my hobbies went like this, "I wish I was young enough to go with you. You get to go in and come out in a day, that would have taken me several days to do on my pack mules." So I say to you, the USFS, "native to whom?" Do my modern ways of recreating really impact these environments any more than my granddad who took more time to get in and get out?