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Comments: I live in Twin Falls County where I am a dairy veterinarian and farm with my family. I write today to express my support of parts of the Forest Service's alternatives as presented in the Draft EIS for the Nez Perce-Clearwater NF, Forest Plan Revision. I specifically support the proposals of increased timber harvest, sustained livestock grazing options, and no additional designations of any type.

Idaho and the general public benefit from our national forests when they are properly managed and used. As a farmer, I understand the need to actively manage my lands and resources. With the increased risk of wildfires that we have seen in recent years, I expect the same attention to resource management of the federal agencies.

I support the active management of our national forests, including such activities as grazing and logging. I ask the Forest Service to revise the forest management plan to fully embrace the principle of multiple-use and reject further proposals of Wilderness or Wild & Scenic River designations.

My family and I are avid recreators and love to spend time in national forests across our great state. I have found that trails are not maintained as well as Wilderness areas and it is actually more difficult to access land that has more restrictions. As a user of public land, I want to be able to have access to use it!