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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.

Keeping the corridor open for wildlife across state wilderness areas is crucial to the balance of ecosystems.

My personal experiences are from years ago, but living in other parts of MT & using those wilderness areas I know the importance to fish populations, wildlife recovery areas, and experiences for humans in the forests.

Keeping the entire 150,000 plus acres wild benefits recreation, tourism, the health of wildlife and forests.

Non-motorized areas are crucial to wildlife-Im thinking wolverine and others who thrive on great areas of wilderness particularly in winter.

My knowledge of the watersheds of the area is limited but know hot critical fish habitat is today, and for the future.

Connectivity of forests improves the health of wildlife and fish populations.

Thank you to the Forest Service planning team and the adversity you must address with opposing viewpoints. During this time of COVID, the people have gone to the Forest to renew their mental health. The remarkable moments around the world of seeing the Himalayas from a distance, the ability of the earth to rebound. But its so difficult to undo the decisions of poor management. Berkeley Pit. Dams for lumber mills along the Blackfoot. Now we are faced with a gold mine that feeds into watersheds of the Smith River. Thank you for your time.