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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 am a human, a hunter and a conservationist who completely subscribes to the model that science is proving time and again...wild places, diversity of species and health of uninterrupted ecosystems are primary to the survival and thrival of all taxa, fauna and humankind.

This area should be kept as is and protected. No motorized use or further interruptions implemented.

All should be labeled and protected as wilderness.

The introduction of motorized travel into the Great Burn would have vast negative impacts on the sensitive mountain goat population. Additionally, a decision to shrink or eliminate the Recommended Wilderness in the new forest plan would open up the Great Burn to road building, timber harvest, and other threats that would forever alter the character and quality of one of our nations most impressive roadless areas.

Worthy of the highest level of protection afforded by the Wild and Scenic River status, I recommend Cayuse Creek and Kelly Creeks (all forks)

There's a lot of prominent conservation history behind this area and the events that led to its name. Lets honor it, not undermind it.

Creating these plans while keeping all land usage in mind can be a big challenge...

So thank you for all you do and your consideration for keeping wild places wild and healthy.