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Dear Nez Perce Clearwater Planners,

I am writing as a soil scientist who has worked and recreated in most of the National Forests of Region 1.

I urge you to protect and preserve all of the wilderness qualities of the Hoodoo Roadless Area. Allowing snowmobile access or any motorized recreation would compromise and degrade the critical habitat for mountain goats, wolverines, lynx and diminish possibilities for dispersing grizzly bears.

And of course snowmobiling and motorized recreation excludes me and other wilderness travelers from having meaningful experiences with expected solitude and quiet. There are very few areas in the National Forests that one can experience mountain goats. There are millions and millions of acres where one can experience motorized recreation. PLEASE provide the balance needed for critical habitat for wildlife, i.e. NO Motorized travel any time of the year.

Thanks for the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

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