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Comments: I am extremely disappointed to learn that Custer Gallatin National Forest has released a draft decision and final analysis for their forest plan which determines how American bison habitat will be managed for decades to come without including standards protecting American bison habitat, or listing the bisonas a species of conservation concern, both of which had broad public and tribal support.

What is the problem here? These bison are precious American icons and endangered animals who have been mistreated and slaughered for far too long. Do the right thing. Protect these valuable members of American wildlife. Or, perhaps, be remembered as the people who failed in this regard.

Thank you.