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Comments: The Rangeland Management Directives willsignificantly affect millions of acres of public land, including Wilderness, where livestock grazing is fundamentally at odds with the mandate of the Wilderness Act.

Livestock grazing on National Forests, including millions of acres of Wilderness, significantly degrades our public lands.

Any revisions to Forest Service grazing policies should encourage and prioritize voluntary grazing permit retirement to reduce permitted livestock grazing.

The FS should not return grazing to the excessive levels permitted in the 1960s.

The recovery of imperiled or threatened species needs to be prioritized.

The Forest Service must do the right thing for Wilderness, other public lands, and wildlife by dropping its proposed Rangeland Management Directives.

If the Forest Service wishes to amend its directives, the Forest Service must undertake a more comprehensive rulemaking process that complies with the National Environmental Policy Act.

Thank you.