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Comments: have recently reviewed the Grand Mesa Uncompahgre Gunnison (GMUG) National Forest draft plan for environmental impact and want to share my thoughts and concerns. I have utilized the GMUG area for over 40 years, first as a child with my parents/grandparent, then with my children. We have enjoyed this area for hunting, hiking, skiing, sledding and numerous off road activities (ATV, UTV, Snowmobile, Motorcycle, Mtn. Bike and horseback).

In reviewing the draft plan I think the best option C in my reading it appears to be the closest thing to current management which has worked well. Option C provides flexibility with less zoning restrictions, and allows more active management of the forest in the event of natural incidents such as slides or wildfires. This option also still allows for recreation development and sustainable utilization.

As a resident who loves to recreate in these mountains I would ask that Option C is enacted if any changes need to be made.

Thank you.