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Comments: I have lived in the North Fork area for over 30 years, mostly because I am a cross country skier. I am a charter member of the Grand Mesa Nordic Council. Before this I taught cross country skiing for many years in the east. We have the very best conditions and terrain for this ever more popular and healthy sport. It is done with a small investment, is easy on the environment and allows all ages to get outside with a short drive from various urban areas. We need to continue to support this by taking into consideration the length of the xc ski season, which depends on nature, not snow making. The season lasts from October through May so commercial logging should be restricted to allow us to use this wonderful natural area without trucks and dirt and noise for the ski season. The full parking lots last season testify to the popularity of this use of OUR Public lands.