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Comments: Commenting in response to the Forest Service's plan to close and ultimately get rid of specific trails in West Yellowstone in the Custer Gallatin National Forest. These trails were originally made to allow people to enjoy Montana for what it is, and access areas they might not normally see. The work being done here could be done with temporary closures, or some maintenance could be done to prevent permanent closures. Permanently closing these trails would not help benefit the community or is even necessary.