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Comments: I am writing to express support for changing the current route as proposed for the Pacific Northwest Trail to the southern route, AVOIDING the precious and threatened grizzly bear habitat. There are many human-focused reasons for making this change but my primary concern is for the bears. Haven't we cornered them enough with our infringement on habitat? Leave this community of bear relatives alone. Move the trail, or eliminate it completely. Thank you for considering this change.