Data Submitted (UTC 11): 11/24/2022 4:07:59 PM First name: Katie Last name: Sox Organization: Title: Comments: Hello Slater Turner and Ochoco National Forest,

I am a long-time Central Oregon resident and business owner wanting to express my support for the Lemon Gulch Trails. The development of this trail system would greatly benefit Crook County residents and residents of the greater Central Oregon region. Mountain bikers spend millions of dollars in the small community of Oakridge, OR each year and the activity saves about 26 million dollars in healthcare costs in Oregon. It really is a win-win.

The project appears to be very well thought out with due diligence to environmental and economic impacts. Health is wealth - it's clear that this would benefit the community of Prineville greatly. I hope you'll consider approval of alternative 2 for the project.

Thank you for your time and consideration, Katie Sox