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Comments: Here are my comments to the PNNST Comprehensive Plan & EA. Had to do a quick review, but I did have a few comments. Overall, I thought USFS did a great job. I'll look forward to the "Priority Actions" and priority areas for land acquisitions/easements lists. So great to have the comprehensive plan draft!

Thanks Chris

- * Page 4 (Special Area Plans): add Wilderness Study Areas to the list
- * Discuss ebikes (starting pg. 37), or at least differentiate when speaking about "Bicycling"
- * p38 "Bicycling" section. Federal regulations also prohibit bicycle use in wilderness study areas
- * p 41-42 "Wilderness" section. Call out Chopaka Mountain Wilderness Study Area specifically (think this is the only WSA the PNT goes through)
- * p 43 "Wild & Scenic Rivers" section: call out what these eligible/suitable rivers are? Add in appendix?
- * Highlight PNTA's passage through working communities (Trail wide objectives, pg 63)
- * pg 58 (Management Practices): Where the PNT is in wilderness areas (add "and Wilderness Study Areas")
- * pg 60: Trail Setting: provide more information about BLM's Visual Resource Management system, and USFS's Scenic Integrity system. These systems are only mentioned in passing with Recreation Opportunity Spectrum/Recreation Setting Characteristics discussion. They should be covered in their own right, with a short explanation of each, before being added into Table 3
- * Incorporate Desired conditions and Management practices for both VRM and SIS
- * Trail Alignment and Design (p 65): add in dam crossing
- * Pg 142: add info about Chopaka Mountain WSA (map and text)
- * Pg 168 "National Scenic Trail Adaptive management Toolbox" section: BLM should probably be mentioned somewhere in this section: BLM monitors trail register data and BLM visitor counters at several locations in the Okanogan