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Comments: Dear Slater Turner and the Ochoco National Forest

I am writing to express my support for the Lemon Gulch mountain bike trail network in the Ochoco National Forest. The network will provide much needed riding opportunities for a rapidly growing mountain bike community in Central Oregon.

Lemon Gulch Alternative 2 provides the best set of options for a wide variety of abilities and rider demographics. The mileage and variety of trails outlined in Alternative 2 will function to concentrate riders in a specific area of the Ochoco National Forest and this will reduce trail user conflicts in other areas of the Ochoco National Forest. This concentrated trail network will also minimize other ecological and resource impacts in other parts of the Ochoco National Forest.

Riding bikes in the woods is a healthy and enjoyable passtime that draws money into local economies and provides local kids with opportunities to engage in positive activities.

Thank you for the opportunity to be heard on this issue.

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