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Comments: I am strongly opposed to this land swap.

The current valuation is "acres for acres" and does not accurately represent the disparity of the proposal: Private landowners will get more stream miles and prime habitat.

A single out and back trail will encourage congestion and severely limit the ability for hunters to pack out game animals in a timely manner.

The Yellowstone Club has a history of degrading wild spaces in Montana.

The USFS has been derelict of their duty to defend public access and uphold historic prescriptive easements.

This proposal is antithetical to our public lands doctrine, will inhibit big game hunters, and exacerbate Montana's issue of elk crowding on private lands.