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Comments: It is not hard to see that this is a bad deal for folks who rely on access to public lands, specifically for hunters and anglers. The low lands of the crazy mountains are a vital environment to continue access to and reducing access in this area to a 20 some mile trail through private land benefits such a limited number of recreationalists.
To approve this land swap would be an be slap in the face to the people of Montana and simply a pat on the back for the out of state land owners who seeks to make this state their personal playground, not unlike the timber and copper barons of 100+ years ago.
Simply put, this land swap would be a step in the wrong direction and I firmly oppose it.