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Comments: To reduce the public access, decrease public lands in valuable habitat, and not reserve mineral rights, while conflating two projects that are miles away from each other with no viable wildlife or management corridor is a violation of the public trust. The proposals cater to a wealthy few rather than working in the best interest of the larger public. There is limited benefit to wildlife or public access. On top of all that, public comment was scheduled during the Christmas holidays with full knowledge that public comment would be limited because of the pressures during this time of year. I request that the proposal be suspended and reevaluated for a solution that increases public access points in the Crazy Mountains. I further request that the comment period be extended until after the 2023 Montana legislative session to allow for proper review by the public.