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Comments: I would like to support the "Granite Goose Landscape" project which I believe will help improve the area. Limiting motorized use in Bear Basin will address issues that the increased popularity of motorized vehicles has had on the area. As a Nordic skier, hiker and mountain biker and user of the area since the early 1980s, I have seen the degradation caused by motorized vehicles in the meadows, disregard of Nordic area boundaries creating very unsafe trail destruction and trash and campfires left unattended increase dramatically in the last few years. I believe there are enough areas for motorized recreation on the forest that this plan will have minimal impact on motorized users and greatly increase the safety of non-motorized users as well as allow the forest in this area to recover from overuse.