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Comments: Thank you for moving forward to improve the Curtis Canyon area roads, expand the existing campground, and improve trails/routes. We support the proposals described in your Scoping document but emphasize that any miles of OHV routes should not be decommissioned. We cannot express enough that there is a huge public need for OHV rentals and that the activity provides a huge positive economic impact to the local economy. Numerous businesses in Jackson depend on this area to stay profitable and their employees depend on these jobs to support their respective households. This is the only trail system in close proximity to Jackson and is very much needed.

We would like to see additional miles of trails added to the area as this is a growing public need and visitor ship in the area increases annually. Additional trail miles would help spread out the use and if the forest service would consider widening more trails in the Gros Ventre to 64" (slate creek) we could also alleviate some of the traffic at Curtis.

After reading the comments by the public we also believe that the FS should consider adding hiking/biking trails only so the users do not have to use potential ORV routes and avoid conflict. (Maybe the Goodwin lake trail that is proposed to get decommissioned.

We also ask that any construction closures be limited to more off season periods of time, prior to June 1 and after Sept.30 to not affect our business.

We support the improvements in this document and hope that we can work together with the FS and public to make this a place where all users can enjoy. Please reach out to us if we can assist at any point and help come up with solutions that fill all needs. Thank you.