

Data Submitted (UTC 11): 5/10/2023 6:41:35 PM

First name: Dylan

Last name: Flather

Organization:

Title:

Comments: Please accept my comments related to the Wilderness inventory and Wild and Scenic River inventory, below.

Wilderness inventory:

Include all roadless areas, including those under 5000 acres. These are vital as secure habitat for grizzly bears and other wildlife and for connectivity.

Include Mature and Old Growth Forest as an Outstandingly Remarkable Value.

Include areas with past disturbance that is now considered "substantially unnoticeable." These areas are critical to connectivity and will become totally unnoticeable over the life of the forest plan process as long as they remain undisturbed.

Include all areas recommended for Wilderness classification by the Citizen Alternative.

Apply connectivity as an Outstandingly Remarkable Value

Wild and Scenic River inventory:

Include all rivers recommended for Wild & Scenic in the Citizen alternative.

Include all rivers found to be suitable for Wild & Scenic classification in the 1991 Lolo National Forest Plan Amendment 12 assessment.

Include all rivers recommended by the Citizen Alternative Forest Plan.

Apply bull trout and cutthroat trout presence and designated Bull Trout Critical Habitat as Outstandingly Remarkable Resource Values.

Apply the Climate Shield data as an Outstandingly Remarkable Value.

Thank you for your consideration.