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Comments: I am writing as a concerned individual regarding the over management of the Lolo National Forest. I have lived in the 9 mile valley for almost 30 years and my family has seen the surrounding forests logged at least 4 times. How totally failing on your part that only 253 acres are set aside for grizzly bear habitat. Your agency is nothing but a timber industry pawn. Hence the over 12,000 acres of timber extraction acres. I am disgusted with your ancient practices and your outright lies to the public. Do the right thing and protect what is left - for the wildlife, the birds and the planet. Stop logging. Stop spraying your poison. Stop building roads . Stop fragmenting wildlife corridors. Do what you are actually supposed to do and that is to sustain the health and diversity of the forests - and not keep it barely hanging on. Pretty sure the word stewardship factors in somewhere.