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Comments: I submit this comment regarding the Inyo National Forest OSV Use Designation to object to the use of the Sherwin Creek Recreation Area for OSV use. I would like this area to be posted as a no OSV use area for the following reasons:

1. There is a conflict of uses. This area is used frequently for snowshoeing, cross country skiing and other non-motorized uses such as back country skiing. These uses are not compatible with motorized uses. I have cross country skied in other areas where snowmobiling is allowed and have encountered near misses with snowmobiles--It is both dangerous and unpleasant. Plus the OSVs destroy the paths.
2. OSVs are noisy. There is an adjoining residential area. When snowmobiles are in the area, it is noisy and disrupts the otherwise tranquil nature of the area.

Please take my comments into consideration and post this area as a no OSV use area.