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Comments: Supervisor Timchak,

I have concerns with your proposal to increase the current guiding and outfitting use days from 13,175 per year to 33,416 annually - a 153 percent increase. Your proposal is too vague, lacking specifics and shows your overuse of CE in decisions that the BDL Forest has made over the last several years!

I believe that the use of public land should be first and foremost for the plain, old every day user...and not commercial outfitters who profit off of the use of public lands. I ran into this issue first hand this summer when attempting to do a pack trip with girlfriends into a wilderness area where we were unable to find a decent campsite due to two large outfitters with over 30 head of stock. They are very hard on the resource with that high amount of impact.

Not knowing whether your proposal increases summer use/winter use and where-Wilderness/WSA areas, etc., it's difficult to sort through your thoughts.

Therefore I would like to see Alternative 1 - No Action. Thank you