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Comments: Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the Nez Perce-Clearwater Final Environmental Impact Statement and Draft Final Forest Plan #44089. I object to the preferred alternatives proposed management of the Hoodoo Roadless Area and the plan's lack of wildlife standards for wolverines and mountain goats. Due to time constraints I was not able to comment previously but I still want to submit comments pertaining to recommended wilderness and adequate security for mountain goats and soon to be listed wolverines under the Endangered Species Act.

The Forest Service should manage the entire Hoodoo Roadless Area (151,874 acres) as Recommended Wilderness. The Hoodoo Roadless Area provides important habitat for many sensitive species, especially near the Stateline, where this plan proposes removing sections of Recommended Wilderness. NO sections of recommended wilderness should be removed by the US Forest Service.

Prohibiting winter motorized use in the Great Burn is critically important, as research has found that this use can detrimentally impact wildlife behavior and winter habitat. Additionally, the Forest Service must add binding wildlife standards to the forest plan to ensure species survival into the future. Snowmobiles should NOT be allowed in the Great Burn. I am alarmed by the harm that can be caused to wildlife like mountain goats who are trying to survive during winter months only be disturbed, displaced, and at times harassed.

Thank you for your consideration.