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Comments: I am submitting a comment related to: "Providing a predictable supply of timber and non-timber products, and other economic opportunities to support the long-term sustainability of communities located proximate to National Forest System lands and economically connected to forest resources."

The "need to change" section makes no mention of the value of non-motorized trails and their relationship to "the long term sustainability of communities." Any changes to the plan need to consider the economic benefit of non-motorized hiking and mountain bike trails to communities, particularly rural communities. Studies suggest that a portfolio of high quality non-motorized trails may have a greater economic impact on communities than timber-related products.