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Comments: I am objecting to the Nez Perce-Clearwater Final Environmental Impact Statement and Draft Final Forest Plan #44089 preferred alternatives proposed management of the Hoodoo Roadless Area and the plan's lack of wildlife protection for wolverines (now listed as an Endangered Species) and mountain goats.

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.

This is one of the last pristine areas left where one can experience quiet and solitude. Please do not legalize the use of motorized or bicycle use.

Prohibiting winter motorized use in the Great Burn (even though it is happening illegally at this time) is imperative as research has found that this use detrimentally impacts wildlife behavior and winter habitat. The Forest Service must also add binding wildlife standards to the forest plan to ensure species survival, so that future generations can experience the wildness of this pristine area.

Thank you for your consideration.