Data Submitted (UTC 11): 1/30/2024 3:45:42 PM

First name: Christopher Last name: Davis Organization:

Title:

Comments: Good Day,

I am writing today to express my concern that you are renewing outfitter permits without disclosing their overall impact on the Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex. The US Forest Service must disclose the details, locations, and impact of each of these outfitter permits so that the public can effectively comment and have a say on the future of this special place for all Americans. Renewing these permits with a categorical exclusion (CE) so that the forest service does not need to fulfill its obligations to provide a more rigorous environmental review for the public is wrong and needs to be addressed. Your current letter lacks the necessary information about these permits including annual inspections and the process for public complaints. While some would say this is just more bureaucratic work, it is of the most upmost importance to provide a report without a CE, and that which provides the public with more information so that we can determine the impact on the wilderness character that these outfitter permits will have in the future. Thank you for your time!