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Comments: It is the mandate of the Forest Service to preserve wilderness, not to promote any particular use.

The Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex Outfitter and Guide Permit Reauthorization lacks site-specific information, despite requesting site-specific comments. The Forest Service must make the following information available for public review on its website and must also extend the public comment period for another 45 days after information is published on the website:

- * permitted service days versus actual use for each permit
- * annual inspections, performance evaluations, or public complaints related to each campsite or operator
- * any NEPA documents and related decisions dealing with outfitting service levels or allocation in the Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex
- * the Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex Character Narrative
- * 2017 needs assessment and extent necessary documentation
- * Campsite Management Plans for each outfitter camp

The detrimental impacts of outfitting on the Wilderness, prelude the Forest Service from implementing a Categorical Exclusion (CE) to renew any outfitter permits. Environmental Assessments or Environmental Impact Statements with accompanying public input are called for to protect this Wilderness Complex.