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Comments: I suggest that without current site-specific information, the current Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex Outfitter and Guide Permit Reauthorization can not be fully evaluation. Therefore I request that the Forest Service make the following information available for public review on its website and 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

Given the many impacts outfitting has on the Wilderness, the Forest Service must not use a Categorical Exclusion (CE) to renew any outfitter permits. An Environmental Assessment or Environmental Impact Statement with accompanying public input is called for to properly protect this fabled Wilderness Complex. Thank you for considering my comments.