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Comments: I am a board member for the North American Packgoat Association and had originally submitted my comments on the Nez Perce revision plan in December 2019. I am opposed to any outright ban on Packgoat use in the Nez Perce, and would like to invite forest planners to have a discussion with NAPgA about any closures pertaining to Pack Goats. We are a nonprofit organization and have worked closely with several land use agencies to ensure continued use of public lands while also considering the protection of Wild Sheep. I would like to invite you to have an open discussion with us before finalizing any forest plans.