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Comments: I am writing to comment on the Draft EA Forest-wide Prescribed Fire Project # 63783. I support the intent of prescribed fire to reduce fuel loads and improve wildlife habitat but an EA is not an adequate analysis for a project of this size and scope. Please consider conducting an EIS for a project like this. I believe the activities described in this project will affect grizzly bears, wolverines, lynx, white bark pine, and other species in ways not considered in this document.

I also believe the current restrictions are not adequate to protect wildlife and the environment in sensitive areas like the Badger/Two Med and other areas away from human development. Please keep heavy equipment out of those areas.

Either write an EIS or break the project into smaller areas and shorter time frames that can be analyzed with an EA of this type.