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Comments: Thank you, The Forest Service for recognizing bikepacking as a managed use.

I would encourage the Forest Service to continue to manage the trail with bikepacking in mind.

I would encourage the Forest Service to keep the proposed 1-mile-wide trail planning corridor in the

Comprehensive Plan to support the trail experience and protect scenic resources.

I would encourage the Forest Service to designate and develop official alternate routes for wilderness bypasses for mountain bikes, consistent with the AZT experience.

I work for REI as a bike mechanic. I enjoy preparing customers bikes for their journeys through areas as this.

Staying Outside for us is a key element for human success. A life lived outdoors is a better life lived.

Thank you, The Forest Service, for creating this plan, and for the opportunity to comment.