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Comments: I have been skiing the St. Regis Basin area since I was a kid. I live in Bozeman now, but I still get back a dozen or more times per year to there or the Lolo Pass zone. Once all the quiet zones are open to snowmobiles, what is left? A bunch of exhaust, harried wildlife, noise, and SAR call outs.

Please significantly reduce the excessive size of the motorized buffer along Morrell Mountain Lookout Road (FR 4365) to protect non-motorized access to this terrain

I support the designation of a Semi-Primitive Non-Motorized setting for our favorite local spots at Lolo Pass, Hoodoo Pass, Saint Regis Basin, Wisherd Ridge, Marshall Mountain, and Morrel Mountain.

Please restrict motorized access into the Crystal Amphitheater on Lolo Pass, this area is already heavily used by the backcountry ski and snowboard community. I oppose FS 16675 as a Semi-Primitive Motorized setting. In fact it is laughable that "semi primitive" and "motorized" have made it into the same designation. Way to go gas lobby. Please consider it as a Semi-Primitive Non-Motorized setting to prevent snowmobile conflict.

Please restrict motorized access into Saint Regis Basin. I oppose FS 18591 as a Semi-Primitive Motorized setting. Please consider it as a Semi-Primitive Non-Motorized setting to lessen snowmobile conflict. Snowmobiles clearly want to be able to go everywhere and they are a nuisance to wildlife and backcountry skiers and snowboarders. Keep those MF's out of some places, please.