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Comments: I submit the following comments related to the proposed action for management of the Rattlesnake National Recreation Area (RNRA):

Appendix 01_3_GA_GM04 and GM_05 show a portion of the RNRA ROS as Semi-Primitive Motorized for summer and winter recreation. This is a concern as the area is currently managed and very popular for non-motorized recreation use. Any change to allow motorized recreation use will bring unwarranted additional social and biophysical impacts.

Appendix 03 Proposed and Possible Actions, 6. Potential Management Approaches, Geographical Areas, page A3-38: "...a Management Plan for the RNRA should be developed that fulfills legislative direction." A RNRA Management Plan is sorely needed and should be a priority. Current issues such as high use, e-bikes, vegetation management, dam removal, fisheries management and others more than justify the need for a plan that is both comprehensive and detailed. No significant changes in current recreation use, ROS designation, or management projects such as allowing motorized recreation use, implementing vegetation management projects, or additional dam removal should be implemented until this plan is completed.