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Comments: Comments on Lolo Fores Plan: In regard to streams the plan is deficient. Specifically the proposed Plan has substandard restoration goals that will fail to make any meaningful difference in improving water fish passage barriers and the necessary upgrading of existing barriers and road-crossing structures. The Plan also lacks specific goals and objection of maintain adequate stream flows by not including natural and man-made infrastructure. The Plan also fails to protect the native cutthroat and bull trout ignoring their classification as "Threatened" under the Endangered Species Act.

Finally, the proposed allowance of motorized recreation in the Rattlesnake, LaValle and Butler Creek watersheds puts the bull trout and genetically pure cutthroat trout in those drainages on a death watch. The existing road already deliver way too much sedimentation. The inevitable higher impact of motorized use. There are already ample opportunities for motorized recreation that doesn't involve killing off native species.