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Comments: I'm writing in support of increasing non-motorized access to trails. As a Nordic skier and outdoor enthusiast I am frustrated that we are unable to enjoy our public lands and enjoy a quiet nature experience on trails un-traveled by machines. It's frustrating when the hard work and volunteer efforts of Nordic clubs to prepare tracks for skate and classic skiing get destroyed by inconsiderate motorized traffic. We need a small fraction of trails and the proper grades and elevation to recreate. Machines can travel in the majority of the public land. Please carve out a portion of land free of noise and exhaust to enjoy wildlife and solitude.

Thank you.

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