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Comments: I first learned of the Bob Marshall Wilderness when I was a child. Pictures of a huge, natural, wild place filled my imagination. Over the years, my own experiences in wild places has revealed to me the negative effects on these places and the wildlife there from excessive numbers of people walking, talking, traveling in loud motor boats, ATV's and planes as well as cars and trucks. None of it is good for nature and wild places. It's my understanding that the Forest Service assessment of public use of the Bob Marshall Wilderness and the Flathead River does not provide enough detailed information about the current use levels and therefore no decisions on future use should be made until a more thorough assessment has been conducted.

Thank You for Your service and consideration.