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Comments: To the Forest Service Plan Committee: I speak up to say that the Malheur Forest needs to guarantee motorized access to all residents on all roads and in all areas. I, my family, and our neighbors use the forest for work and recreation. We, collectively, cut wood for ourselves and others. We hunt and provide food for ourselves and others. We use grazing allotments. We hike and use recreational vehicles. Please ensure cross-country travel, unless it is restricted through a separate public Travel Management process. I speak up to stop the decommissioning, closing, or obliterating of any roads. Also we must recognize rural residents as well as tribal residents, and guarantee access in all future projects. No limited motorized zones should be allowed. It is vital that all commitments that are made in public meetings be written into the final draft of the plan. I personally, and my family want full access the forest. It is vital, ongoing, that all public transparency rules be followed. I respectfully request that the Forest Service revise the draft plan to protect motorized access to the people who live here and who rely on these forests. Thank you for your time and concern, Terry Aasness, Mt. Vernon, Oregon