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Comments: The Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest matters to me. It is one of our local forests. What matters most: the forest is spectacular, as is the diversity of wildlife that live within it. This overpass was years in the building, for the safety of the wildlife and health of their populations as well as the safety of traffic on the interstate. Restricting access to ensure these outcomes makes sense.

I support this action and urge the agency to advance it.

I ask the agency to respond to each of the following issues in the record:

1. I support the proposed closure of nearly 4,900 acres of Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest land to protect wildlife using the I-90 Snoqualmie Pass East crossing structures.
2. Restricting access to 3.2 miles of Bonneville Power Administration roads near the crossing infrastructure is a reasonable step to keep both the public and wildlife safe.
3. The I-90 Snoqualmie Pass East wildlife crossing structures represent a significant investment in habitat connectivity, and a dedicated closure area helps ensure those structures function as intended.