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Comments:

Dear Forest Service,

I have never flown my paraglider at King Mountain, but I hope to someday.

Paragliders and hang gliders make close to zero noise and most of the community I know is conscious of their environmental impact; we try to leave little behind and respect nature. While some paragliders and most hang gliders drive all the way up to a launch, after that there should be ~zero impact on the natural habitat.

It is odd (to me at least) how wilderness areas allow equestrians, which leave all their manure on the trails and are down in the natural habitat 100% of the time, but won't allow for a small motor-less flight launch or landing area when it seems to be less impactful and we are only on the ground a tiny fraction of the time a horse is.. sorry if I am mistaken about this, but that is my current understanding, and the logic behind these rules seems flawed and unfair.

Please consider allowing PG and HG pilots continued access to King Mountain, including road access to King Mountain launch and the airspace above the surrounding areas, including the Lost River and the Lemhi Range.

Thank you for your time.