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Comments:

Please implement Alternative D of the Revised Draft Forest plan for the Gallatin National Forest. This will create the strongest protections for the Gallatin Range and other critical wildlife habitat across the National Forest. However, the plan should be improved by adding the 230,000 wild, roadless acres of the Gallatin range; prohibiting all mechanized and motorized uses in the recommended wilderness areas; limiting group sizes to 8 head of stock and 15 people; and putting an end to ecologically damaging fish stocking in fishes wilderness lakes. This spectacular region is a special environment for iconic and threatened wildlife species and deserves full wilderness protection.