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Comments:

I do not support any additional Wilderness designations, with regards to Custer Gallatin Forest Plan Revision #50185.

I enjoy connecting to our public lands while responsibly using snowmobiles and OHVs. Motorized recreation is growing exponentially with the vast majority being responsible users of our public lands. This brings many financial benefits to rural communities that rely on this income. With increased numbers of motorized use the prescription needs to be having more areas to recreate. New Wilderness designations only concentrates the increased numbers into small areas. This is a recipe that doesn't showcase a fair use model and increases significant impacts to condensed areas.

I would like to enjoy these valuable resources with my family utilizing travel methods we enjoy. It is discriminatory to only consider designating new Wilderness areas without considering lifting current wilderness designations. It is important to provide fair access to our public lands by the travel methods without discrimination, so that all can capitalize on the opportunity to maximize their connection to these public lands. Any new Wilderness designations only comprises fair use of our public lands.