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Comments:

Your vision is too small.

Since your proposal for the CGNF is worse than any of the original plans proposed, I am changing my choice of options from Plan D to a more generous view of nature: all roadless areas in the CGNF (more than 700,000 acres) be assigned as wilderness. This includes all WSAs that Congress intended in legislation be the basis for becoming wilderness. This includes migration corridors not saved by your plan that are essential for maintaining the wildlife special to this great land. This is the last hope for grizzlies and other wildlife species. Your promotion of mechanized and motorized recreation, known to harm wildlife, and destructive extraction technologies provides no path of return. Once destroyed, our future generations will only know of this great place from photographs and books.

While we are here, your list of species of special interest is too limited. Bison? Bird species?

It is not too late to change your dangerous plan. Your lack of interest in the latest science regarding wildfires, climate change, animal well-being is appalling.

Please do not destroy our beautiful country.