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Comments:

Strengthen and adopt enforceable standards for Alternative D.
The best available scientific information supports strengthening and
adopting alternative D with
enforceable standards for American bison, bighorn sheep, and threatened grizzly bears.
Conserving American bison viability and diversity should be a forest wide
standard.
Freedom for American bison to roam National Forest habitat should be
a forest wide standard.
Restoring habitat connectivity for American bison should be a forest
wide standard.
To restore connectivity, and conserve the viability and diversity of
American bison's genetically distinct subpopulations, the Custer Gallatin needs to adopt a standard to
close and not permit cattle grazing allotments in American bison range.
To restore connectivity, and conserve the viability and diversity of native
bighorn sheep populations, the Custer Gallatin needs to adopt a standard to not
permit domestic sheep grazing in
bighorn sheep range.
The best available scientific information supports including
enforceable forest wide standards to protect key linkage areas, habitat connectivity, and food security for threatened
grizzly bears.
The Custer Gallatin must adopt a forest wide standard for all grazing
permits requiring "let-down"
fencing and remove barriers that impede migration of native species.
Adopt a desired condition for the Custer Gallatin to be a leader
in the development of wildlife safe passages and measures on highways constructed in migration
corridors on the National Forest.
Restore more wetlands, creek banks, pond edges, and riparian habitat through strong
standards
and more yearly projects to benefit American bison and native species
diversity.
The Custer Gallatin has a duty to fulfill its' responsibilities and trust
obligations safeguarding treaty rights, sacred species, sacred sites, and traditional cultural places of significance
to aboriginal people.