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Comments:

I would like to express my support both as an individual and as a local business owner for Alternative E, due to the fact that there would be no loss in existing motorized and mechanized recreation trails and access. In particular I support this plan because it allows that additional areas would be opened to recreation of multiple types in the current Hyalite-Porcupine-Buffalo Horn Backcountry area, should the current restrictions be released by congress.

The single track trails within current Hyalite-Porcupine-Buffalo Horn Backcountry area represent some of the best backcountry dirtbiking and mountain biking that Montana has to offer, and I think that it is extremely important that access to these trails should be allowed for multiple uses, not exclusively for hikers or horseback riders.

As I local business owner I feel that it is important that public land be made available to everyone, regardless of how they choose to recreate. I believe that maintaining and improving upon access for dirtbiking, mountainbiking, and snowmobiling should be a high priority in all decisions going forward as the environmental impacts from these activities are extremely minimal. Access to multiple types of recreation is what makes Montana a wonderful place to live, allows us to attract and retain employees, and has a huge impact on the economy of our state.