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Comments:

As a native-born Montanan, I've been backpacking in the crazies for as long as I can remember. They've always been where I could come to enjoy the outdoors and get some peace and quiet. I've gone with my family and friends countless times, and this is a really special mountain range. There's nowhere in Montana like the Crazies (I mean, I'm from Helena - they're certainly not the most convenient mountain range for me to get to and yet I'd choose them over anywhere else in the state time and time again).

I hope I and others will be able to bring my children and grandchildren there and enjoy the unspoiled environment.

Mary, please protect the crazies as strongly as you can (ideally recommended wilderness). While we have many mountains in Montana (and it's easy to undervalue something you have many of), there is no place like the Crazies.