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Comments:

I support the wilderness recommendations in Alternative D of the Revised Draft Forest Plan; however, they must be improved by adding the entire 230,000 wild, roadless acres of the Gallatin Range as Recommend Wilderness in the final forest plan.

The Forest Service should reduce group size limits of stock and people in the wilderness management plan so as to protect all Wildernesses on the forest from harm.

The forest plan should put an end to ecologically destructive fish stocking in naturally fishless wilderness lakes.

The plan must address the issue of human and pack animal feces contamination of lakes and streams on the Beartooth Plateau in the Absaroka-Beartooth Wilderness. Eliminating fish stocking would likely go a long way toward solving this problem, but additional measures must be included if needed.