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Dear Friends of the Colville National Forest,

The final Colville National Forest Land Management Plan, approved final Record of Decision, and the associated final Environmental Impact Statement will be released, and a Notice of Approval of the Land Management Plan will be published in the Federal Register on October 22, 2019. The Land Management Plan will go into effect 30 days after the October 22 publication of the Notice of Approval.

The approved final Record of Decision, final Land Management Plan, and final Environmental Impact Statement are available on the Forest's public website:

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/colville/landmanagement/planning/?cid=stelprd3824594>. These documents reflect the extensive public participation through collaborative workshops and other public input over the past 15 years. We greatly appreciate the commitment of interested participants who've provided important contributions toward the development of the Land Management Plan.

If you would like more information or have questions related to the release of the final Land Management Plan, approved final Record of Decision, or the final Environmental Impact Statement, please contact Bart Ausland, Natural Resources Staff Officer at the Colville National Forest Supervisor's Office, at (509) 684-7106. Thank you for your continued interest in the management of your public lands.

Sincerely,

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Forest Supervisor

cc: Bart Ausland, Lisa Larsen, Christy Merritt, Doug Young, Marcy Rumelhart

