Gallatin River Canyon Travel Planning Area

A. Travel Area Goals, Objectives, Standards and Guidelines

GOAL 1: Summer Recreation Use. Provide passenger vehicle access and parking for a variety of recreation uses in and around the Gallatin Canyon, including pleasure driving, kayaking, rafting, fishing, rock climbing, camping and some hiking.

OBJ. 1-1: Achieve the summer recreation opportunities identified in GOAL 1 through the route-by-route management decisions made through this Travel Plan. Any future proposals to change the uses specified should be done in consideration of the targeted recreation setting to be provided [see the “Recreation Opportunity Spectrum” (ROS) map for summer uses (October, 2006)] which is hereby incorporated by reference.

GUIDELINE 1-2: Designate river and cliff access routes and parking areas, avoiding locations where increased access would negatively impact quality peregrine falcon habitat.

GOAL 2: Winter Recreation Use. Provide access to adjacent areas where winter uses are emphasized.

OBJ. 2-1: Achieve the winter recreation opportunities identified in GOAL 2 through the marked and groomed route management decisions made through this Travel Plan along with decisions made on the area available to snowmobiles. Any future proposals to change the uses specified should be done in consideration of the targeted recreation setting to be provided [see the “Recreation Opportunity Spectrum” (ROS) map for winter uses (October, 2006)] which is hereby incorporated by reference.

B. Alternative Route-By-Route Management

See attached table.
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