



1400 South 19th Avenue
Bozeman, MT 59718

March 30, 2022

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The enclosed Environmental Assessment (EA) has been prepared for Lost Creek State Park for the purpose of improving public access within the park and to protect the resource from further degradation. Proposed developments include construction of a 0.5 mile section of new trail, a new parking area, and improvements to existing campsite areas within the park. The new trail would eliminate some of the excess social trails that currently lead to the same areas within the park, provide access for new hiking opportunities, and offer a unique viewshed to this incredible drainage. No parking area currently exists at the proposed trailhead, so this project would create space for direct access to the new trail thus improving visitor safety by directing traffic off the existing narrow roadway. Some of the current tent site pads have degraded over time and need reconstruction to provide a level camping surface for park visitors.

Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks invites you to comment on the attached proposal. The public comment period will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. April 29, 2022. Comments should be sent to the following:

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Or e-mail to mark.filonczuk@mt.gov

Sincerely,

Marina Yoshioka
Region 3 Supervisor

Attachment