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From:

John C. Hendee, Director

Subject:

Additional Follow-up to the Planning Workshop for a

"Waterfall Creek Transect"

In my most recent letter summarizing results of the workshop in Moscow to discuss the proposed Waterfall Creek Transect, I said we were developing a revised proposal responding to input. Enclosed are copies of overhead transparencies I used in presenting "A Proposed Wilderness Ecosystem Research and Monitoring System for the Frank Church--River of No Return Wilderness". You will note that the plan calls for establishing intensive measurements in one baseline drainage (such as Waterfall Creek) and in other nearby areas to measure wilderness attributes not found in the baseline drainage, e.g., anadramous fisheries might be monitored in Rush Creek.

The Forest Service responded positively to the proposal and we are looking for dates for a trip to Taylor Ranch so executive leaders can discuss the proposal on site. The Forest Service is also very enthusiastic about including external groups.

Thanks for your help and support. I will keep you posted on plans once we complete this round of executive level planning.

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Subject:

**Overheads** 

FYI, here is a condensed set of overheads I used in my presentation to the R-4 Wilderness Policy Council. These overhead outline a proposal to establish a "Long-Term Wilderness Ecosystem Research and Monitoring System in FC-RNRW" with UI on leadership team. Response was favorable and FS will get back to me regarding a trip of key executives. They favor a wide-open process with participation of appropriate environmental groups. I will ask Jon Roush of The Wilderness Society or designate to participate as "bell weather" for the NGO's. WS has strong GIS and analytical capabilities.

Also enclosed is the UI seed grant proposal for "A Workshop of Scientists to Develop Study Priorities, Methods and Agenda for a Long-Term Wilderness Ecosystem Research and Monitoring Program for the Frank Church--River of No Return Wilderness."

I will keep you posted.

Attachments cc: John Hunt JCH/mjs