Resource Issue	Common Themes	**Underlying values/interests that emerge from these themes**	**Areas of differing perspectives**	**What is missing? What questions do you have regarding this resource issue, values, perspectives, etc.?**
Socioeconomic benefits	Everyone needs a decent livelihood. Economics/ commerce is always changing, how can it be improved to benefit everyone? Increase economic development opportunities: thinning plantations, scattered openings, disease prevention treatment. Thinning from below, gaps, skips. Communities are evolving; recreation and quality of life are becoming drivers in local economy.	Community health, resiliency; healthy prosperity, not destroying the mother nest of all. Timber production Jobs Use of wood for economics, jobs. Recreation opportunities for local residents. Quality of life and rec. opportunities help attract new businesses and residents to Hood River and other communities.	Opening/gap size; Proposed wilderness; Where to harvest Whether or not to harvest	Can people see this big, wide, deep perspective? Do we have imagination to see outside the way things are? Why no treatment in proposed wilderness? Role/size of timber in local economy Role/size of recreation in local economy
Forest health	Disease treatment &/or reduction; fire; thinning; whole ecosystem functioning (soil, water, wildlife, fire); stand health; stand structure & diversity; stand density; thinning from below; disease resistance; tree diversity: species, age, size, live & dead	Healthy trees; density reduction; climate and weather stability; beauty of functioning biodiverse, ecosystem; species diversity; health/resiliency; aesthetics; protect old growth; flora/fauna diversity	Where to put gaps; gap size; how to deal with disease; management in never before logged units; too much veg management in non-wilderness	Need to know projections on what the future is likely to bring climate-wise and what vegetation types would come. How to get from here to there with veg cover changes? Could science help inform/clarify?
Soil quality	Roads: storm proofing or closure Minimizing soil compaction. Minimizing soil erosion through project planning.	Soils are an important component of functioning forest ecosystem.	What techniques are effective for minimizing impact to soils?	
Water quality	Maintain or decrease water temperatures; sediment; roads:	Clean water, habitat, fish; no increase in water	What buffer widths to use What techniques are effective	To what degree is water quality limiting the

Comment [RP1]: There are four bike/mtn. bike shops in Hood River that employ ~ 10 – 30 people depending on the time of year; that's a fair number of jobs.

	storm proofing or closure or decommission; minimize disturbance in riparian; no thin if increases temperature; no skips/gaps in riparian; road closures; riparian reserves	temperature; instream habitat;	for improving/protecting water quality	recovery of ESA listed fish species?
Wildlife habitat	Larger gaps for elk & deer; high quality habitat; reduce road density & road improvement; gaps & scattered openings; seral stages; ungulate habitat; fish habitat improvement; winter range; protect old growth	Provide forage for ungulates, early seral habitat; habitat connectivity; hunting; stages of succession; instream habitat. Provide habitat for a variety of non-game species	Gap sizes and where to put them; mature forests vs. early seral; not enough wilderness;	Highlight legal protections already in place (NWFP); species specificity; old growth species protected by NWFP;
Fire resiliency	Reduce, pile, burn; hazard reduction (structures); reduce fuels: ladder, crown, woody debris in streams	Forest health, future jobs	Need to do anything; no logging in some areas. Comparing natural fire and logging in terms of how they can increase resiliency. Can we log our way out of 100+ years of fire suppression?	Monitoring
Recreational opportunities	Minimize impacts to view-scape; expanding wilderness; trail buffers; high canopy cover along trails; expand wilderness; minimizing crossing rec trails. Provide new opportunities and facilities for recreation.	Maintaining experience, winter recreation; not enough wilderness; aesthetics of view corridors. Recognize that recreation contributes to quality of life and economy in local communities.	Large gaps for hunting; larger no-cut buffer on trails	
Cultural patterns of use	Wilderness, not do work in possible future wilderness; huckleberry field enhancement;	Scenic beauty		
Mitigating climate change				Need to know projections on what the future is likely to bring climate-wise and what vegetation types would come.

Comment [RP2]: This seems pretty focused on big game other than mentioning old growth how can we expand to include broader range of sps.?

Comment [RP3]: Two days ago I spent the day hiking and driving through a fire area that burned starting on the last day of my 2012 backpacking trip in the Three Sisters area. It was amazing to see the mosaic of severe, moderate and lightly burned areas; in some cases there were patches of green trees surrounded by severely burned forest. Fire is much more subtle and variable in terms of how it affects the landscape than any timber sale marking prescription I've seen.

Roads/Transportation Management	Roads provide access for recreation and forest management. Forest Service budget for road maintenance is very limited. Many roads are nearing the end of their designed life (failing culverts, etc.). Roads affect water quality.	Access for recreation and forest management.	What size road system is economically and ecologically sustainable? Should roads be closed or actively decommissioned?	What size road system can the Forest Service sustain, over time, in Mt. Hood NF?