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Subject: Plans for the Stibnite Gold project need to protect water quality and restore habitat
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Dear Payette Forest Supervisor Keith Lannom and staff,

Thank you for this opportunity to comment on this critical issue.

Having worked with volunteers, as IDF volunteer coordinator, to rehabilitate Meadow Creek and E. F. Salmon River with Idaho DEQ and PNF, at Stibnite mining site, a superfund site, I am appalled that there is even any consideration of allowing mining to occur at Stibnite again.

To allow mining again in this critical watershed is a total waste of money now and for the millions already spent during years of clean-up and rehabilitation work accomplished by employees and volunteers alike; would result in further degradation of water quality and fish and wildlife habitat and constitutes an outrageous error in judgement and policy.

I urge you strongly to reject mining at Stibnite now or ever.

Thank you.
With best regards,
Mary Dudley

