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From my understanding of what will be done and the benefits thereof it should be a win-win project for all. The opportunity to create jobs and tax revenue while in the end restoring the river and salmon run should be supported by all. I encourage that the USFS advance and support the permitting process so this very viable project can go forward for the benefit of all. Consideration should also be given to establishing/retrofitting mining living quarters into a resort for future recreational use and benefits after mining and reclamation is complete, particularly since supporting infrastructure such as power lines, et cetera will be constructed. I support this project and it should be permitted ASAP. Please call or reply with any questions or comments that you may have for me.

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