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Comments: The Stibnite Gold Project represents an opportunity for economic growth, habitat restoration, and the production of minerals critical for this country's independence from foreign producers. A state-of-the art mine such as what this operation would be, poses virtually no threat to the environment as there are multiple layers of regulatory protection and physical systems in place to prevent and potential contamination entering the environment. Furthermore, this mine would clean up existing environmental damage and reestablish natural fish habitat. The Stibnite project also has the potential to provide many high-paying jobs to the local community. Additionally, this deposit would produce many resources, such as antimony, that are critical to many products in modern society. Domestic sources of these critical minerals decreases our reliance on foreign producers and countries.