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Comments: It is with great pleasure that I write to the U.S. Forest Service to encourage you to permit the proposed activities outlined by Midas Gold in Alternative 2 during this public input process.

Midas Gold has carefully researched the Stibnite Gold Project since 2009. Throughout this time, the company has proactively engaged members of our community and consistently sought our feedback. Some of our suggestions are reflected in alternative two - including the proposed road to site to keep traffic and potential pollutants away from our waterways. The company selected using Burntlog Road after many discussions with local residents. In my mind, actions speak louder than words and Midas Gold has proven they will be a good partner moving forward.

Thank you for considering my thoughts on the project. I am grateful for the virtual meeting room you created. It made learning about the project easy and gave me the tools I needed to submit meaningful comments within the 60-day timeframe. If I can do it, anyone can. I urge you to move forward with alternative two.