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Comments: I am a cross-country skier who uses the Bakerville-Loveland Trail (BLT) every winter season. I especially like skiing the upper portion of the BLT where, on the return to Bakerville, there is a trail that branches off the BLT to the north and parallels it for about a mile (see attached map). It appears to me that the planned parking lot addition will eliminate access to this side trail which, when snow conditions are good, is the most enjoyable part of the ski trip. Please leave access to that side trail open if you must build the new parking lot. I do not like the location of the parking lot due to its proximity to Clear Creek and wetlands below the lot. In spite of the discussion about "drainage" in the plan, there will be an increase in pollution, especially road salts, draining into Clear Creek. Also, in a state where trees are disappearing rapidly due to drought and beetle kill, cutting trees for a parking lot in a National Forest seems criminal.