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Comments: Please take the time to complete a full eco study of how the land near Big Hill is used. As a a long time mountain biker, hiker, and trail runner in this particular area, it is no secret that this place is very isolated and beautiful. I have seen so much wildlife and plant life that I rarely see in other places in the hills. To imagine all this being disturbed and mined away for selfish matters would be very hard for myself and a lot of locals who call this place home. Please take the time to complete the full study on how this mine would impact wildlife, the ecosystem, and our clean water supply. Protect what we have, and don't let greedy mining get in the way. I look forward to spending all the seasons out in this area, and I don't want that to be ruined for myself and future generations. Thanks for your time