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Comments: Mr. Steele,

I have been to Holland Lake, the Falls, and the Lodge many times. It needs to remain Open to the General Public. The General Public are not part of the millionaires and billionaires club. This proposal and the future plans of POWDR for Holland Lake only serve to make it another property that only very wealthy folks will really get to experience. The General Public of Montana and the people at median income levels and below will be blocked from a great portion of what is now available for them to see, experience, and explore.

Let me give you an example... every year countless Montana Schools experience field trips with hikes to the Falls and swimming in the Lake. They get to experience (with ease) their pristine backyard. They get to see and play in a place that should be available for their kids to do the same for many years to come (just as it was for their parents.) Tradition is an important component to this Region and all of Montana for that matter. This expansive proposal is threatening the future of this sacred place by endangering it, overtaxing its ability to remain a simple FREE joy that should be afforded to those who recreate responsibly in it. This year, I was able as a middle school parent to be a chaperone to Holland Lake. It gave me such delight to watch many LOCAL Bigfork and Swan Valley kids play in their backyard and talk about how their parents did the same. It was magical for my daughter to see the Falls just as I had many years previous.

I am not interested in how POWDR plans to "keep" it open and "add" services. I've been to the Lodge several times in the past 3 summers and all but been chased off even though my money is just as good as anyone else's to spend in their business. They LOST my business because of this.

Now POWDR (a company that develops elite destination resorts) is promising to keep it open to the public? Will the "General Public" need to show their W2 to get in? What a joke. The General Public (USFS employees and their salaries included) will not be able to stay or play in a place like POWDR wants to develop. How do you explain this to your family and colleagues? We must protect these spaces for the General Public. It is far too risky to not. It cannot be UNDONE. Choose your path wisely.

Attached are photos of our Field Trip to Holland Lake this year. We are your NEIGHBORS.

Approving this Proposal just serves to block and potentially ruin a wilderness that is magical to kids and adults.

This construction will block access to current USFS recreation / lake / trailhead and disturb the shoreline, treescape, and wildlife. Who cares about hiking to the falls and staying in the Campground if all that around it is ruined?

Sincerely signed with hope that you reconsider this massive project

- that cannot be undone and

-will destroy the recreation hard working regular folks and their families enjoy (and what is already supposed to be their Federal Forest.)

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