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Comments: I urge the Forest Service to reconsider approving the Gold Peak Expansion, at least allow for a longer review of the plans. If this has been an on again off again proposal for 30 years and has been in the Gold Peak 2007 plan why are we, the public and residents of Eagle County only given a month to respond?

Are we sure that cutting down 41 acres of Aspen Forest on Golden Peak is a good idea? What will Vail be after a chunk of Golden Peak is clear cut for the purpose of satisfying a small group of ski racers? Not to mention the environmental impact of this expansion.

I am not nor have ever been a ski racer, I do support the US Ski and Snowboard Team. What is wrong with the facility at Beaver Creek to hold sanctioned races in addition to the Birds of Prey?

Please reconsider and think about what a bald Golden Peak will do for Vail and the views of this iconic space.

All the Best,

Jim Dulin