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Comments: Hello,

I am in favor of the Gold Peak expansion and would encourage you to move the development of the project forward, sooner rather than later.

Of all the incredible benefits from the development, I see the youth development as being right there at the top. There are very few places in the USA where alpine skiing has the infrastructure and the human volunteer support that Vail has that can support such an amazing program, and the expansion will only bolster their position for youth development.

The expansion wouldn't just benefit local youth but kids nation wide. In particular, the Midwest looks to the Rockies as a training place to advance to the world stage in alpine skiing competition and there are very limited venues where they can go to the advanced levels. Vail needs this expansion to stay competitive and be a leader, this is a MAJOR offering over other resorts and to be able to offer it, puts them in a very good position.

I am the father of 2 alpine ski racers and our entire family is in support of the expansion. We are also part of the USSA Central division and we know of many others in support of it as well.

Thanks

Paul Jaeger