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Comments: Ludwig,

I moved to Vail in 1975 and have always been astonished by the limited snow making on the upper mountain. Originally as a ski bum, then as the founder of the Vail Daily and Summit Daily newspapers, and now as the owner of three restaurants in the Vail Valley (Northside Kitchen, Southside Benderz, and Northside Grab & Go), I continue to watch regretfully each fall as we lag behind smaller resorts in the production of our most important resource.

Now it appears Vail Resorts is ready to make major improvements to snow making. I would like to encourage in the strongest way possible the approval of this project, which I support 100%. We ski on snow. Snow is good. More snow is better. It is my understanding that Vail has sufficient water rights for this purpose. I can't imagine any harm from snow.

As I mentioned, I strongly endorse the approval of the expanded snow making on Vail Mountain.

Thanks for your time,

Jim Pavelich