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Comments: Having more snow making capability across the mountain is critical for Copper to continue to improve and compete in their highly competitive region and to combat the negative effects of climate change on the ski season. It will give Copper the ability to open more terrain earlier and have coverage later in the season as well as being able to groom more terrain on a regular basis for those of us who are growing older and still skiing.

Also, although I am not a mountain biker, I understand the difficulty in businesses being viable in a village such as Copper's and having more to offer during the summer season will be extremely beneficial to Copper and its retail partners as well as restaurants and housing. I know that increased usage will have negative affects also, but being inside of the permit boundary will ensure that these trails are regularly monitored, controlled, and maintained.

Thank you for your time and giving the public the ability to comment.

Sincerely, Robert Burgen