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Comments: To whom it may concern,

I strongly oppose the expansion at Mission Ridge. I believe it will do more harm than good to the valley. The construction will significantly impact the ecosystem, watershed and increase fire danger. Whenever people develop large scale residential and businesses in a wilderness environment the impact is always negative.

I also oppose this because the expansion, in my view, is not sustainable. Every year they have to depend on more man made snow, riders do not want to spend hundreds of dollars for a weekend at a place that most of the terrain has little to no snow pack. Also riders will have to travel past two sometimes three resorts with a minimum of double the snow pack to get there.

I believe the expansion would require millions if not billions of dollars in infrastructure. The roads to mission cannot support the kind of traffic they would like. The intersection at Crawford would become exponentially more crowded, which in return would impact people's ability to get the hospital to see loved ones or receive emergency services.

This idea was not very well thought out and is just away to line the owners pockets, not improve the valley.