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Comments: I am against this expansion as it is planned for an area currently used by the Colockum Elk herd, the largest and healthiest, so far, elk herd in the state. There is too much construction in that entire area and the pressure on those animals is significant and detrimental, negatively affecting their calving numbers. Additionally, Mission Ridge is a tiny ski area ( relative to other areas that have achieved "World Class) status) and while the skiing there is nice, it often does not receive the snowfall that other areas get. There is also no where else for the skiing part of the area itself to expand, so why build all the residences, hotels and restaurants? It will never achieve 'destination atatus' because it is too small of an area.