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Comments: Mission Ridge is one of the biggest reasons I moved to this area. I cautiously support the expansion project. I think done right, it could be a huge benefit to the area economy, as well as expanding options for local skiers. My area of expertise is on the transportation side, and my biggest concern is making sure there are options for travel other than single-occupant vehicles--lack of traffic is one of the biggest perks of the existing Mission Ridge operation, and with the right measures in place it could retain that character. Folks have a lot of concerns about environmental impacts, fire hazard, water rights, and continued backcountry access--and many of those appear very legitimate, though I'm not really an expert in those areas. I hope to see these concerns successfully mitigated. Thank you for the opportunity to comment.