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I have watched over the past 10 years ski resorts from Vermont to alaska, increasingly struggle to survive due to changing weather patterns, specifically significantly less snow and less snow pack.

I do not support this expansion based on a lack of a thorough, potential climate change impacts study. Most resorts are responding to this threat by diversifying offerings, not expanding their geographic perimeter which requires significantly greater resources to maintain.

Any curent environmental review should have this specific analysis.

Thank you

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