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Comments: To Whom It May Concern,

I am submitting a public comment regarding the Stibnite Gold DEIS. I would like to thank those at the Payette National Forest who have been part of this ongoing effort. At this time I would ask that the public comment period be extended from 45 days to 120 days. The DEIS is over 5700 pages in length and the current public comment period is 45 days. I do not consider 45 days to be sufficient time for concerned citizens to review all of this information that has been years in the making. I will be continuing to digest this massive document and the legal jargon it contains. People need assistance in breaking down the DEIS and collaborating with others to provide feedback on this decision that will directly impact our lives here in Valley County. COVID-19 has put significant restraints on how people gather and interact in recent months. This leaves the public comment period altered in a way that inhibits members of the public from attending meetings and providing feedback to our federal agencies. Please consider this feedback from the public during this time. Thank you.