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Comments: Any action that compromises water quality or threatens endangered fish is of concern. Mining is inherently destructive to the natural environment. The scale at which this intensely intrusive activity takes place is determined by size, mining mechanisms and location. The Midas Gold Stibnite Project is of a colossal scope not often proposed. The mechanisms by which Midas proposes to mine at Stibnite are immensely destructive; open pits are very difficult to reclaim and leave massive scars upon the land. Finally, the location of the mine is dangerous for a number of reasons, mainly being situated in the headwaters of the Salmon River watershed. This means that the Midas Gold Stibnite Project is not only bad for the local environment, but is potentially bad for the entire Salmon River below the confluence with the South Fork Salmon.