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Dear whomever it may concern,

Idaho's publicly owned wilderness is truly the greatest natural wildlife refuge, recreational destinations, and beautiful areas in the United States. Idaho, having more than 70% of its land be public, is one the best protected states. By encouraging the development of a dangerous mine on Idaho's public land, you are putting all of this in danger.

Furthermore, allowing a foreign company to profit by exploiting land that belongs to the American People is as un-American as it gets. I understand that this mine will create jobs, but at what cost? The majority of profits will not be seen by Idahoans, let alone Americans.

It's time to recognize the true impact of climate change, the importance of protecting Idaho's beautiful natural wildlife and recreation areas, and to invest in a future that is beneficial for all Americans.

Do not approve this mine. Do not approve irreversible damage to the state that I was born and raised in.

Sincerely,

Christopher Nalen