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Comments: I have written in the past and I appreciate the opportunity to say it again: NO open pit mine of any kind in the Stibnite, Yellowpine area of the Salmon river Mountains in Idaho!! The area is sensitive, the river has been damaged in the past, the salmon are endangered! The area was mined in the past and left in unsatisfactory condition. Why should we believe that another company is going to do better?

The traffic that will run up and down the mountains from Cascade on to Warm Lake Recreation area, and on to the mining project at Stibnite will cause excessive noise and diesel pollution, wear and tear on the highway, and make the roadway dangerous! The weather will impact travel and there are sure to be more accidents involving mining equipment and the public who access their property and the public forest lands.

There are multiple reasons why this project should be halted! At the least it needs further and intense review before approval!

Thank you for the opportunity to leave comments! I am an Idaho native, visit the Idaho mountains and this area every time I am in Idaho! Please do not further destroy this beautiful and sensitive area!