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Comments: I appreciate the opportunity to comment on the plans for expanding Grand Targhee.

I support development within the current boundary.

I also support development of the Mono Tree area because I do not think this will impact the quality of visual experience for other Forest users.

I question whether it is reasonable to expand into the South Bowl, given the impacts to wilderness, visually protected areas, and wildlife habitat.

The proposed action does not address how GT will accommodate day use. A ski area on our public land should have facilities to accommodate school and community groups, brown baggers, and educational opportunities. The current condition and need for additional day use facilities must be part of the analysis. Improvement and/or expansion of day use facilities should be included in the proposed action and alternatives.