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Comments: As a long-time resident of Wyoming I have many concerns regarding the Grand Targhee Developmental Plan.

I have significant reservations with the major expansion plan of the resort and the lasting impact this will have on the environment, community, and wilderness.

I oppose the proposal of construction of a very unnatural building at the top of Fred's Mountain, and I oppose additionally of a building mid-way up Peaked Mountain. Additional structures will have significant impact on the environment and additionally on the dark skies that exist. Additional light pollution is unnecessary. Further, I am strongly opposed to construction of structures on the border of the Wilderness Boundary.

There are areas within current ski area boundary that are still viable for expansion, including Peaked Mountain, which was approved for lift expansion in 1994. The Mono Trees expansion seems to be minimally impactful.

The proposition for 7 new lifts seems a bit excessive with regards to the needs of the resort to remain viable. I suggest improvement on current approved area terrain prior to any terrain expansion.

Additional expansion into South Bowl seems quite unnecessary at this point.

We appreciate what Grand Targhee Resort offers now.