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Comments: Allowing grand targhee to expand into the south side of Teton canyon is completely unnecessary and also potentially extremely damaging to wild life. Grand targhee has had decades to expand lift access on the west side of peaked mountain and has failed to do so. The damage to the south side of Mary's and peaked will be extreme, cutting roads, grooming, extensive bombing for avalanche control, lifts and over snow machinery will destroy this quiet place. These activities will displace and alter all wildlife in the area, including moose, sheep, mountain lions, bears, etc. Grand Targhee has minimal lift lines as it is which makes this request to expand seem ill timed and unnecessary, if there is such a large demand for more terrain then why haven't they completed the expansions that have already been approved. I hope you will see that expanding cat skiing or lift skiing on the south side of the resort is not something that should be approved, it is not needed and will cause irreversible damage to our precious valley.