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Comments: Are you serious? Are the only words that are slipping from my mouth every time I hear and read about the expansion of GTR into South Bowl, Teton Canyon, and Mono Trees. Perhaps for this valley it is most fitting to speak to environmental concerns. The impact that this would have on local habitat, land contamination, waste arisings, and resources not to mention the external future factors of an increase in tourism (car/plane emissions, increased pollution, and heightened vulnerability of forest fires). Now, one might think that I am not a proponent of economic growth. This is false. I support the economy flourishing but there are clean and dirty ways to go about this. This is THE time to change the ways we build, grow, and thrive into renewable and sustainable projections. Instead of following other ski resorts footsteps in the lineage of malpractice invent renewable brilliance to build in respect, in honor, of the environment, the people that work to sustain that environment, and the culture of the original Grand Targhee. I ask out of love and respect for the valley as a whole to RETHINK the expansion of Grand Targhee.