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Comments: As a 5th generation Idahoan and passionate angler, this mine has no place in Idaho. First and foremost I would like the public comment period for the Stibnite Gold Plan of Operations Draft (DEIS) to be extended 75 days to 120 days. Currently there is a Presidential election and many Americans and Idahoans are devoting their time to become educated voters.

This mine is a dangerous step towards the eradication of Idaho's endangered Bull trout and Cutthroat trout population. Its no secret Idaho is full of tourism, this mine will kill tourism jobs. tourism jobs may not pay nearly as good as these mining jobs, but they COULD be around much longer than this mine.

Rerouting the EFSFSR will be detrimental to the anadromous fish that call the river home. With dwindling populations of salmon in Idaho rivers, this is another step towards killing off anadromous in Idaho. There is no dollar amount that can return the native anadromous fish to the EFSFSR once they are gone. the pain that this mine will cause will last far beyond the lifetime of the mine.

I am an engineer, I also have a concern that a failure could lead to a catastrophe, the area where this mine is proposed is close to a recently active earthquake area. A failure of one of the tailing retention dams will destroy the EFSFSR, there is no doubt about that. The risks are too high, OPPOSE THE MINE.

PLEASE EXTEND THE COMMENTING PERIOD TO 120 DAYS, ITS THE RIGHT THING TO DO!!!

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