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Comments: I oppose the proposed Stibnite Mine Project! I oppose putting mining waste - new or old - or building new roads- in this precious, unique, and undisturbed habitat.

I oppose activities that are likely to mobilize additional arsenic such as blasting waste rock and grinding rock into tailings.

I oppose bringing millions of gallons of diesel fuel, cyanide and other chemicals to the our precious river system. Please do not allow the Stibnite Mine to go through. This river system is worth so much more than the gold and antimony the mine might produce. It will not be an economic benefit to the local communities. In fact, it would not only detroy the future ecological function on the foundation of our intermountain west, but it will also destroy any future economic benefit to these small, rural economies that depend on the Salmon Watershed as intact ecosystem. Please don't allow the destruction of one of the few remaining national resoure treasures we have left. Thank you for allowing the opportunity to comment. Best, Francie St.Onge Hailey, ID