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Comments: I oppose this project. I think it would be detrimental to our already delicate ecosystem. We are living in a time when everything is rapidly changing already with our weather patterns and other climate change and adding such a huge disturbance to the mountain would no doubt have devastating impacts on the wildlife in the area. Visitors already trample plants, use the ridgeway as a path despite fences and signs indicating not to, defecate outside the restrooms when they aren't open, and leave bags of trash outside the trash cans. I see at least one of those things, but usually all, whenever I have to go up there which is usually at least twice a month. Adding more traffic to the area would be unmanageable and unwise. I'm guessing it will also bring more literal traffic and slowdowns to the highways in the area which sounds incredibly annoying for anyone who lives there and would have their lives impacted by not being able to get places efficiently. It sounds like a fun idea in theory but in practice the consequences to the animals and people who live in the area will not be worth it. Please reconsider building something that there will be no true way to calculate the effects of until it is too late.