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Comments: As a resident of Reno NV and a frequent visitor and recreationalist to the east side of the Sierra, including Long Valley and Hot Creek, I would like to submit my opposition to Long Valley Exploration Drilling Project #59294. I've spent time reading through the Economic Assessment and Technical Report published last October, and while there have been many in depth geological surveys on the purposed site over the last 25 years, as of 2021 there have been no accounts ANY of the impacts this gold mining operation would have on the Hot Creek Fishery located roughly 1.5 miles from the southern boundary of the claim or the tourism industry in Mammoth Lakes seven miles to the west.

An exploratory operation to consider larger mining operations in this beautiful and ecologically important area is not worth the environmental risk.