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Comments: My father first brought me to Hot Creek 35 years ago. Now I take my children to fish Hot Creek and I was hopeful to be able to take my grandchildren to the precious resource that is now potentially endangered by a mining project. Reading through the proposal, it is unclear of the impact to Hot Creek. Where are they getting their water? If there source is anything that feeds Hot Creek, the impact on that fishery would be devastating. I've seen Hot Creek during severe droughts which our state is prone to. Any additional lack of water will be devastating. Please, take care in insuring that the Forest Service completely understands the potential downside to this project because Kore's upside in profit could result in the public's huge downside.