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Comments: I am writing in support of Kore Mining's proposal for exploratory drilling for gold near Hot Creek in the Inyo Natl Forest. I admit, this is something I would normally object to, but the locals who are protesting against this project are NIMBYs who object to my presence in this area as a low-income resident. I have a bachelor's in geology, so if there might be even a slight possibility that I could earn more than the minimum seasonal resort wages that are so prevalent here, I'm all for it. I object less to this project than Chris Leonard, who wrote an article about Kore's proposal in The Sheet (4/25/21) and as an economically secure middle-class NIMBY believes that low-income residents like myself are "undesirables" who should be removed from Mono County.

Please approve Kore Mining's proposal for exploratory drilling near Hot Creek. This area needs decent-paying jobs for working people like me.