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Comments: It is important that the SHT not be negatively impacted, that wildlife habitat is not negatively impacted.

It is also important that downhill skiing is made accessible to all to increase diversity of skiers. If that means expanding the area, then it is wonderful. If it means that the prices go up to justify the added area, then it is a terrible idea. Downhill skiing has increasingly become a white, wealthy, privileged sport. I love skiing, both downhill and XC, but the former has changed in the decades that I've skied. Lutsen will never compete with Western ski resorts. We should focus on making Lutsen accessible, affordable and still with enough challenging runs to keep expert skiers, like myself, interested.

Thanks and I'm excited to see how this turns out!