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Lutsen resort hardly operates at full capacity the way it is. Most lifts are closed and skiers are shoveled into 2 areas. This expansion wouldn't open any unique terrain to draw new skiers. The area already has become expensive for such a small resort. I think maybe they should open up backcountry gates that skiers can go out of and trevece back to the lift. Keep the land natural offer tree skiing and focus on improving the overall experience. They would also need to add snow making with taps water resound has high costs.(snow has not been consistent in MN ) Jake Strouf Minneapolis Minnesota . We are cook county travelers we love the area .

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