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Comments: Besides maintaining the trails (they are in horrible shape), keep the entire area for locals, NOT the mass cruise ship passengers who will now be disembarking at the Ward Cove dock. I am still upset about the BLM's response to the Carlana Lake trail permit, that "locals can either build another trail or find somewhere else to hike". This is unacceptable. We live here too and should not be pushed out of the way to keep the tourists happy. I don't mind encountering solo travelers on the trails, but the large cruise ship groups destroy any enjoyment many of us have hiking OUR trails. I don't hike the Ward Creek trail in the summer as the groups take over the trail. Please, keep Perseverance, Ward Lake, Frog Pond, Connel and other spaces off limits to mass cruise ship tourists. It would also be nice to keep the Revilla road plowed to the Ward Lake junction in the winter. The issue of trapping away from trails is one to consider too.