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Comments: I am commenting on the Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Facility Improvements Project. My previous comments of the scoping documents still apply. As a local, I am concerned about maintaining the natural beauty and peacefulness of the area. I am primarily interested in maintaining wildlife habitat and the salmon fisheries. It appears that you are only interested in cruise ship tourists.

I am completely opposed to your docks and boating concept. I think you are trying create a "Disneyland" like experience which is completely undesirable. Most cruise tourists just want to say they have seen the Mendenhall Glacier.

I support improving the trail access on the west side. People that are motivated can hike to a viewpoint and on to the the glacier.

I am a member of the Nordic Ski Club. I support wider trails that would be suitable for the grooming equipment and a bridge across the Mendenhall River. More parking on the west side would be good.

Sincerely.

Rod Flynn