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Comments: Thanks for letting me comment on this issue and sending me a notification to comment. Well we all need to make a living some how but do we have to destroy the environment to do it? No, which means I am against this expansion in fact I would like to see this mine shut down and the area restored to natural conditions but I know that won't happen so I ask that you don't approve the expansion of this mine. You could save the time and the stress on preparing and EIS. Mining to me does not belong on public lands it's to destructive and it pollutes are rivers and streams. You have a beautiful forest let's not destroy it with this expansion. Thanks