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Comments: Our community has a long institutional memory and in preparing our comments we draw on our collective experiences from previous activity and current understanding of the proposed activities.

There is a network of roads/skid trails from previous forest service activity on the southern face of Mt Mexico.

There is a lot of trash from that period of work including, rusted out oil cans, exhaust parts and even a tire. Who will be responsible for cleanup and how will they be held accountable to ensure trash is removed at the end of the work?

In the past slash has been left across hiking and ski trails and water drainage systems destroyed in the areas of forest service work. What will be done to ensure trails and recreational areas are returned to usable condition including drainage systems, trail markings, and that trails are clean and passable?

Access to the proposed areas of work will pass through the heart of our community and will be inherently disruptive. How will the project schedule be maintained and shared? Will community members be aware of the project schedule? We expect there will be noise, disruption on roads and disruption in the woods. Will there be up to date information regarding timing on trail closures and re-openings so that people can plan accordingly?