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Comments: When this company tried to put a huts at Van Epps pass, the Forest Service was forced to follow their own rules when, and eventually withdrew their approval. That permit was flawed 20+ reasons. This project is fatally flawed for only 8+ reasons, so it is a vast improvement.

I appreciate the smaller footprint of only 8 guests at a time. This location is far better for the management of human waste and it far better for set up and take down.

I believe the owners have recreated in the winter in this valley only a hand full of time (based on their social media, promoting their "new area"). Had they spent quality time in this valley, they would know this area is heavily used by snowmobilers and that snowmobilers hammer their camp area. As I understand their permit, the huts are open to the public for day use. I assume that sledders will use this hut as a warming hut daily and possibly even use the sauna.

If a good customer experience is to pay for the experience of walking 4 miles of road while getting buzzed by sledders, sleeping in a hut, having to walk a ways for good skiing, which might be tracked out by sledders, all while wondering if anyone is going through the stuff you left at your huts cause you can't lock out the public, and then walking 4 miles back to your pickup at the end of the trip, then this is a great spot/idea.