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Comments: Please open a full 60-day comment period on this project. The Forest Service is out of line proposing this as a Categorical Exclusion with a mini-comment period. This is a major resort and unsuitable for a CE. A full Environmental Impact Statement is required with a full review of impacts to threatened and endangered species and their habitat including grizzly bear, lynx and bull trout.

A project of this scope would seem to violate the NCDE Grizzly Bear Conservation Strategy.