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Comments: I am writing to voice my public opinion against the Holland Lake Lodge renovation, which is supposed to put in a huge new lodge, ski resort, and restaurant. I am concerned for the culture of Montana being transformed rapidly without regard to the natural beauty that is already there and the historical pieces that are already in place. I don't understand why the historic lodge isn't being renovated in a way to preserve Montana history. Replacing it will only serve to drive away the people who love it for what it is, impact the nesting loons and natural wildlife and destroy another piece of historical Montana. I am from Montana, born and raised, with many memories of Holland Lake. I fear that this new proposition will only serve to isolate the lake for those of us higher means, leaving this one more place Montanan residents cannot afford to partake it. It is environmentally irresponsible, culturally destructive, and will continue to create a rift between those of privilege and those without. We need wild spaces, not more huge resorts and developed land. Thank you for your consideration and I hope you will vote against this proposal.