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Comments: Dear Forest Service Decision-Makers.

Though this property has been purchased by a resort corporation for development, the huge scope of the project appears far too large and inappropriate for the small size of this lake. It also is totally incongruous with the long standing scope of protecting this pristine natural habitat from over development, especially being part of the Forest Service Lands and the nearby extraordinary Bob Marshal Sanctuary-like Reserve.

As the Forest Service serves humanity, wildlife & Damp; nature in preserving these precious places, its duty must be fulfilled by you, the decision-makers, to hold fast in keeping peaceful, uncluttered spaces for this and future generations for posterity. Uphold the sanctity and standard of simplicity found in this sacred space found on Holland Lake. There is no need to conform to the corporate money-making mindset by approving a resort which would completely change the tone of the area and the experience with nature here.

This is not a national park with millions of acres in its boundaries designed to welcome a massive throng. This place is one of nature's treasures to be offered to the public prudently and with wisdom in understanding that smaller lakes offer a unique experience for smaller numbers. No one who really wants to visit, camp, enjoy the lake or stay at the current small lodge facility is turned away, so there is no real crushing need to build an oversized facility here.

Someone must take a stand for posterity so future visitors can experience an uncluttered place where high-impact resorts are deliberately not-the-norm. There are plenty of big resorts found across Montana and plenty more will be built on more appropriate properties. But we implore and petition that you will keep the Holland Lake and Lodge Area unscathed by keeping the corporate mindset and land grab at bay. Please continue to serve humanity and its need to retreat to quiet, pristine spaces in the Montana wildness. You are the Guard preserving the goodness nature has to offer. You are the Guard to stop corporate intrusion, for their ultimate goal is purely for shareholders' financial gain. You are the Guard for all All Americans.

Thank you for your time and serious consideration.