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Comments: My family built a cabin a few miles north of Holland Lake approximately 10 years ago, and we've been going there regularly ever since. Our entire family (12 of us in total) gathers in Condon for 10 days around the July 4th holiday every year. We've made it an annual tradition to hike to Holland Falls as a family every year together, and we also spend time on the public beach at Holland Lake nearly every day while we're in the area. We love the area for its pristine beauty and peace. We go to that area specifically for those attributes. One of the primary things that makes Holland Lake such a great spot is the fact that it hasn't been commercially built-up or developed. We love the fact that the Holland Lake area feels like the true essence of Montana - wild, pristine, and natural. I strongly oppose the development project sponsored by POWDR that would revamp the Holland Lake Lodge area. This would absolutely take away from the natural beauty of the place, lead to overuse, and destroy the very essence of the place.