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Comments: I am opposed to this project.

I frequently visit Holland Lake Lodge and use the surrounding trails. It is heart-wrenching to even imagine this proposed "improvement" and expansion. I believe the expansion would negatively and irrevocably change the ecosystem. The number of visitors and recreationists is already increasing consistently as Montana's wonders are discovered by more and more people. I have personally noticed an increase in litter around the lake, at trail heads, along the trail... With the already increased amount of traffic, that would only proliferate if this project were approved, there is a lack of safety, respect, and common courtesy on the roads to and from the lodge/trailheads. POWDR claims they intend to "preserve the spirit and integrity of what is here, while upgrading...", fiberoptic internet is not preserving the spirit of Holland Lake. Caving to the demand for amenities is not preserving the spirt of Holland Lake. "Modern comfort and conveniences that visitors, today, expect..." is not preserving the spirt of Holland Lake. Keep Montana The Last Best Place.