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Comments: The article in the Seeley Lake Pathfinder stated that the proposed Holland Lodge Expansion Project would repair the existing historic old lodge, add new buildings, enhance accommodations, and upgrade the infrastructure within the 15 acre permit area. This seems like a benign proposal until one delves into the actual facts. In reality the proposed improvements would provide accommodations for 156 guests... now the lodge can accommodate 50. The new proposal would remove ten aging structures, but replacing them with a large lodge, 10 lake cabins, 16 studio cabins, a Welcome Center, a restaurant with seating capacity for 100 guests. In addition there will be a water sports building, employee housing, a larger parking lot, and 3 docks. All of this on 15 acres!!! The environmental impact on this pristine, small lake is staggering. Where is the water going to come from? Where is the sewage going to go? What will the impact be on Holland Lake, when 156 guests start boating and fishing on it? To consider this proposal without a thorough environmental impact statement is criminal. I am ADAMANTLY OPPOSED to this proposal!!!