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Comments: I am strongly opposed to the approval of this project without an environmental impact study. The short period for comment is also disturbing and not in the interests of the people of Montana. The scale of the project is completely out of character of the lake and the existing lodge. The cutting of hundreds of mature trees will certainly impact the lake in many ways, excluding the impact of a vastly greater number of people. Has there been any study of the impact of the septic system will have on the lake? As a Montana resident this seems like exactly the kind of project that will destroy the rural character of the lake. I am an Environmental Scientist so I am not writing as a layperson. Why is there only a 20 day comment period when other projects have had much longer comment periods? I fail to see how the Forest Service could justify the approval of this project without an environmental impact study.