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Comments: Dear US forest service, I think we are in the era of development and especially population overload. It's controlled we can still enjoy the beauty and solitude of the area that we have chosen to live in. This perfect little gem of a hidden lake should stay the way it is at this point from big developments. Similar buildings or cabins for small amounts of people would be appropriate.

Why do I have an opinion on this? I taught and lived in Coeur d'Alene Idaho for 42 years And enjoyed it immensely until the last 10. Groups of people we're allowed to make big zone changes that affected the already living there population. It affected the infrastructure, it affected the utilities and it affected the overall crime rate immensely. When my children were young they used to walk down the main street to go to breakfast from their elementary school in the morning. Now that main street is so crowded with anything from ATVs to electric vehicles and it is crowded with people as well. We never had crime as in deadly shootings before 10 years ago and it changed everything.

Change can be good. It has to be controlled it has to be really thought through and it can't be because One specific group is going to make money on it and put nothing into the city infrastructure. I hope you will see this before it's too late and realize that Montanans love this place and care for this place like no other culture and to bring a ton of people up to a pristine like you're going to lose the lake.

Please really study this and check other places that I've had development on there majorly pristine areas and see what things happen. Yes it is going to happen but this large of a development doesn't need to. Thanks so much for your time I am praying for our area and especially our natural areas. Annmarie Couser Stumptown art studio board of directors