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Comments: Holland Lake has been dear to my heart for many years. In 2007 I trucked the CDT. There were huge fires that year that rerouted us to Holland Lake and forced us to hike north from there. I immediately fell in love with the area. In 2014 I proposed to my wife near the falls there. Later that summer I hiked across the Bob and ended at Holland Lake on my way to my wedding in Seeley Lake. I've since taken my twin 3 year old boys there. I also have spent time removing invasive pond lilies from the lake. To say this area is special to me is a huge understatement. The Holland Lake lodge has always been there, but I've never been able to afford it or be of any part of it. However it's current state blends into the environment. It's a historic and deserves to be there. To change its look and take down trees and other historic structures would deeply change the environment and I highly disagree with it.