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Comments: We have enjoyed many pleasant evenings at Holland Lake Lodge over the last decade or so. We are acutely aware of the necessary upgrades that need to be undertaken in order to keep this Lodge open as a viable business. We also believe we somewhat understand the cost attendant to these upgrades and maintenance requirements. The buildings are rustic (which means they are old) and the infrastructure likewise is aging. While we would love to see Holland Lake Lodge continue in its current format we know that simply is not possible. Change is necessary and oftentimes change is very good.

After talking with Christian at Holland, viewing the proposal by Powdr and speaking with representatives from Powdr, we are convinced that this proposal is the very best plan for the future of Holland Lake Lodge. Powdr seems committed to investing the necessary resources to upgrade the infrastructure. These changes only serve to protect Holland Lake. They have very graciously decided to keep the old Lodge (which needs a huge infusion of cash/work to keep it in shape) and amazingly they are planning on keeping the old barn and actually using it.

Change is always difficult but we believe that Powdr's proposal will only serve to improve access, protect the lake and surrounding area, and allow for the continued enjoyment of Holland Lake Lodge. The alternatives to Powdr's proposal fall short in-all respects.