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Comments: I live across the road from Holland Lake Lodge. Family members have married there and we have shared many memorable dinners there with friends and family. I understand the fear over the sell and expansion but I also fear losing such a magical place to share with friends and family. The complaint that a "resort is coming in" is ridiculous because it already is a resort. Do I wish it could remain as it is forever? Yes, but that isn't fair to the current owner who has invested time and money to grow a business. None of us would walk away from that kind of investment. You don't want someone from out of state? Paws Up could buy it and bring in van loads of people all over the valley, if you have floated the Blackfoot River you have seen it. Do I wish the proposed development was smaller? Yes. Change is hard and truthfully I am not a fan. Change is also going to take place whether I like it or not, I am hoping for reasonable, responsible change. I am hoping Powder embraces the spirit and style of the current lodge. I cannot ask a business owner to walk away from what he has spent years building. I hope I can continue enjoying a evening dinner or hike there for many years to come.