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Comments: Holland lake is a special place, as are many other places on forest service land both in Montana and other states. Since this is Public Land and I am a US citizen please consider my comments, along with others Input, on how we want OUR lands to be managed.

I have many concerns about the proposed Holland lake Lodge expansion by POWDR. I do understand the lodge and buildings need repairs and some updates but this proposed development goes way beyond that. The biggest concern is the environmental impact and disruption to wildlife on the surrounding areas not just the leased 15 acres. Once this type of development is in place there is no going back. Eventually the land, water, shoreline, wildlife etc will be effected. If any development is to be considered please have a full EPA review and other studies to protect wildlife etc. instead of the categorical exclusion that bypasses much of what should be considered. I believe a much smaller project would preserve the buildings and preserve the land as well. Forest Service land is owned by ALL American people not just those with money and ways to manipulate the system for their gain. I hope your decision will be based upon what the Forest Service was put in place for: To allow the American people to enjoy "wild and natural" places and to protect it for future generations to do the same. Holland Lake is now very accessible and can be enjoyed by anyone who chooses to visit without large development that will eventually take away what everyone comes for.

Thank you.