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Comments: To whom it may concern: I am requesting that the proposed expansion of the Lodge at Holland Lake be rejected. There are many salient reasons for my objection: The expansion will dramatically increase the human and vehicular traffic in the area. (Look at the footprint of the intended parking lots!) The native wildlife and fauna populations would suffer from this building project and the disturbance that a constant flow of visitors would inflict on the lake and the trails. The project is aimed at a wealthy tourist clientele, not the local Montana population. Please redirect these capitalists towards a locale that is already overrun with people looking for a thrilling/highly developed luxury outdoor adventure experience. Holland Lake deserves better! Where is it written that the current owner deserves to make a fortune off of public land? I have lived in Montana for 50 years and am grateful for what we have. It is depressing to think that it may be increasingly sold off to the highest bidder. Please do your part to preserve our Montana natural heritage in as unspoiled a condition as is possible. Reject the proposed degradation which would result in tree removal, loss of habitat, overuse of the lake and surrounding area and dramatically increase traffic on the adjoining roadways. Your cooperation is appreciated.