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Comments: Although I live in Colorado, our very good friends own a home on Holland Lake Road. We have visited them many times over the years. Holland Lake is a small and quiet lake representing the best of Montana. The proposed changes to the Lodge will irreparably change and damage the character of this lake. It is much too small a lake for the size of the changes proposed. More importantly, it is imperative to complete a full environmental study on the impact these changes will have on the wildlife and forests in this area. It abuts the Bob Marshall Wilderness and there are many species which could be adversely impacted. In addition, I understand there are some questions as to the legality of transferring the Forest Service permit. This too must be fully investigated and evaluated before proceeding. It seems to me reasonable to update and improve the lodge without this expansion which is way beyond the capacity of the Lake and surrounding area to absorb. Thank you for your consideration.