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Comments: Thank you USFS for allowing us to comment on the HLL project. I say "YES!

My family has been fortunate to grow up on Lindbergh Lake when my folks built our place in 1966. Like many locals, we have watched the valley grow and change. I'm sad when I see once thriving local businesses along Hwy 83 and valley now closed or "for sale" that once were good services to locals and tourists alike. Christian has endured the economic ups and downs to keep an aging property operating for us. I have fond memories of HLL offering horse back riding and a weekly locals BBQ night on their front lawn, to being able to relax and buy a cool drink at the lodge after hiking to the falls, etc. Thanks to POWDR to come in and help Christian Wohlfeil, owner on this project. I've known him when he first arrived to the Swan Valley. Over 20 years, Christian has been a dedicated steward of Holland Lake Lodge, the lake and land area. I see this project as a viable way to continue a wonderful service for the local community and others to enjoy. YES PLEASE!