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Comments: Holland lake is where we all go to relax in the beauty of the Swan Range. We camp there to relax and enjoy family and friends. We make memories there with our children and grandchildren and possible greatgrandchildren. We enjoy the quiet and fresh air and the sound of the falls while on the day beach. Nothing makes me happier and thankful then to see the campgrounds filled with Montanans stepping back from their busy lives and just "being" in that special place called Holland Lake. During the summer when the lodge is hosting a wedding and the lake is noisy with the festivities we say "oh well it is summer and it is the weekend". Now how is that going to look when there is noise, noise all the time from the expansion of the lodge and all those people being on that small lake aaaaaaall year around! There are many yahoos that drive that road near the campgrounds at top speed not being considerate enough to drive as to not kick up a bunch of dust that floats into campsites and act as though they are on a freeway! How much noise will come from how many guests constantly driving in and out of the lodge! It will ruin the entire experience of camping and creating memories for Montana families. Who will be able to sit in the silence except for the sound of a campfire and watching the stars come out over the quiet lake? If this is the kind of Montana adventure Mr. Wohlfeil wants to create he needs to choose another place to do it He knew what he was purchasing when he signed the dotted line to buy Holland Lake lodge. Must we develope every beautiful spot in Montana to share with everyone else? Can't we keep some things for just us to enjoy? Mr. Wohlfeil isn't doing this to benefit the highway 83 corridor, he is doing this to pad his pockets! Are we putting our state up to the highest bidder? How about we protect Holland Lake for future generations!