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Comments: I oppose the application from POWDR for an expansion of the USFS permit for Holland Lake Lodge. Allow me to join the chorus of Montanans who are loudly saying NO! As a lifelong Montana resident, I grew up with vacations in the Seeley Swan area and many of them at Holland Lake Lodge or the campground. In the early 80's I selected Holland Lake Lodge for my wedding. It is a place close to my heart and that of so many people. If the purpose of the permit is to "benefit the general public and protect public and natural resource values" then I believe that is already being done and moving ahead with this plan will only jeopardize the habitat you claim to want to protect.

You do not need to make it easy for POWDR to come in and take what is magical about this valley. these improvements do not need to be made for people to explore and enjoyHolland Lake. Clearly from the comments that is happening with the lodge as it is. I usually do not fall into the protect at any cost camp, but too much change is happening too fast and it is not to the benefit of the people that I care about, long time Montanans who have made sacrifices to live here.

Please use your authority and tools to deny this application as it does not fit this location.