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Comments:

The Stibnite mine will have negative impacts on the ecosystem and overall air and water quality. This mine should not be permitted.

The US FS:

Allowed Perpetua to assume they will be able to control an unreasonably high percentage of dust pollution generated from vehicles and the massive ore hauling trucks traveling the mine's dirt roads (no less than 93.3%)

Did not properly account for all variables (including number and type of vehicles used, and precipitation estimates) that would impact the amount of dust pollution caused by dirt road vehicle/truck traffic

Will improperly allow Perpetua to submit various pollution control plans after they have been given permission to operate instead of before they begin operating

Allowed Perpetua to improperly average and dilute the impact of arsenic emissions from the project over long time periods in a manner that is inconsistent with Idaho air quality permitting regulations

Allowed Perpetua to exclude the public Stibnite to Thunder Mountain Road from consideration as public air space, although federal and state ambient air concentrations apply there

Neglected to include ambient air quality monitoring requirements that would prove air pollution emissions don't violate federal and state ambient air concentration limits