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Comments: I would like to express my concern about Perpetua Resources' Stibnite Gold Project.

This development would significantly alter the upper East Fork South Fork Salmon watershed. Any spills involving hazardous materials could severely affect the environment and economic health of West Central Idaho and Valley County.

This project is a wolf in sheep's clothing, touting a "restoration" opportunity, and necessary for a "green" energy future by using antimony extracted from the mine for industrial-scale batteries. However, the SDEIS has disclosed the mine will actually degrade habitat for important species instead of restoring it. In the end, the Stibnite Gold Project remains exactly as it sounds: a flawed open pit cyanide leach gold mine in a highly sensitive area.

Please do not allow this development to move forward! There are numerous concerns with the mining project, including unacceptable impacts to fisheries, wildlife, and water quality, to name a few. The proposal also comes with significant concerns regarding transportation and impacts to roadless and Wilderness areas.

Thank you,
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