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Comments: The Stibnite Gold Project puts the famed Frank Church-River of No Return Wilderness at risk, AND the East Fork of the South Fork of the Salmon River and endangered species such as salmon, steelhead, and bull trout.

Under the preferred alternative, road construction and mining operations would cause serious impacts to the River of No Return Wilderness, including noise audible from a nearly 2-mile radius, wildlife disturbance and displacement, increased access to and activity in what are now quiet and lightly-visited places in the Wilderness, and sediment pollution in streams within the Wilderness.

The wilderness evaluation erroneously downplays these impacts.

The last thing we need in wilderness areas is another toxic mining operation.

Please deny this permit to Perpetua Resources and require them to clean up the mine site.