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Comments: Dear U.S. Forest Service (FS),

I am opposed to any permit for the Stibnite Gold Project.

This proposal will negatively affect the Frank Church-River of No Return Wilderness, the East Fork of the South Fork of the Salmon River, and various endangered species like salmon, steelhead, and bull trout.

The preferred alternative allows road construction and mining operations that will cause significant environmental impacts to the River of No Return Wilderness, these impacts include noise in a 2-mile radius, wildlife disturbance/displacement, increased access to what are now quiet and lightly-visited places in the Wilderness where solitude, quiet, and natural sounds are dominant and will cause more sediment pollution in streams within the Wilderness.

The FS erroneously downplays these impacts along with a proposed new road that will be constructed within 100 feet of the wilderness boundary. This road may even enter Wilderness because of the desire by the applicant to use a pack trail that enters the Wilderness.

The last thing this area needs is more toxic mining and associated surface and ground water impacts. The FS must deny the permit for Perpetua Resource's Stibnite Gold Project and require Perpetua to clean-up existing the mine site.

Our mothers taught us how to clean-up after ourselves. Perpetua needs to do the same. No permit for this renegade company, ever!