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Comments: Please deny a the permit for the proposed Stibnite Gold Project.

The proposed new mining would put this unique area, The Frank Church River of No Return Wilderness, one of the most pristine areas in the lower 48, at risk from toxic spills. The Nez Perce tribe opposes new mining and is trying to clean up old mining. The proposed new mining would use vast quantities of scarce water.

The Stibnite Gold Project is not in the national or local interest.

Respectfully,

Ken Zafren MD