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Comments: I am deeply concerned about the state of our environment and our precious water sources, as well. It is TIME that we END such destructive, dangerous projects in light of all the threats we face due to poisons, and pollution.

We should be protecting what we have left-and honoring the policy of protecting 30% by 2030!! The countries attending the COP 15 & 27 made commitments to work toward reducing deadly toxins from our environment and many attempts are being made to "Re-Wild" areas that have been decimated by industrial activity and man's reckless greed.

We have come to a point where we MUST LEARN from our past and REALIZE that we are truly threatening our own health, well-being, future by projects such as this mine!

The Stibnite Gold Project puts not only the famed Frank Church-River of No Return Wilderness at risk, but also 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 new proposed road would sit 100 feet from the wilderness boundary or could even enter the Wilderness, as the most logical location for the road seems to be an existing pack trail that dips into the Wilderness. It IS a Wilderness area and MUST be RESPECTED as such and PROTECTED!

The last thing this area needs is more toxic mining and associated impacts.

The Forest Service needs to deny the permit for Perpetua Resource's Stibnite Gold Project and require Perpetua to finish cleaning up the mine site.

The PEOPLE reject corporations having such influence over Government agencies that take OATHS and have a DUTY to THE PEOPLE of this Country!

We are experiencing serious ecosystem collapse, high extinction rates as well and this will only accelerate more species to that point!

It is Unconscionable that this project would be considered in light of ALL evidence screaming at us to STOP destroying and START Healing this planet!!!

There MUST be MORE efforts by these companies to find alternatives-to recycle materials, goods-to reduce, reuse, restore what has been damaged!!!

I OPPOSE this VILE project and URGE YOU NOT to approve it!!

One day WATER WILL be MORE valuable than ANY gold-we can see this happening in other countries and between States here in this country!

We MUST be WISER and MAKE A FULL STOP!!!!

NO to this or ANY poisonous project that will forever alter and poison OUR Wilderness Areas and ultimately destroy wildlife there and Us too!!!