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Comments: I am an avid whitewater kayaker that loves the Salmon river and the middle and south fork of the Salmon. These sections are one of the if not THE most beautiful places in the world, with crystal clear water and unspoilt wild life. I am concerned that the proposed Gold mine will diminish the beauty of this river, and have bad impacts on the water quality and wildlife. I have kayaked several rivers that were polluted by acidic mine runoff and they were virtually dead with no fish surviving. Please consider alternate locations for a gold mine.