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Comments: I urge you to take no action on the reopening of Stibnite mine. What assurances do we have that reopening this mine will not have a detrimental effect? Look at the history of mining in this state, and in the West. It is difficult to believe this time will be different.

This river and its ecosystem are more valuable than profit, than mineral, or yet more corporate profit (which is fundamentally at odds with cost and effort required for stewardship and protection).

The salmon, Steelhead, and other fish that depend on this river are already pushed to the edge of existence. Will this project hamper their survival even further? Yes, it is apparent and historically validated that reopening this project will not help their survival. Thank you for your consideration.