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Comments: Hello,

This long standing proposal is a must to keep monarch in business and not overcrowded as Colorado becomes more populated. I grew up in Colorado Springs and learned to ski at Monarch Mountain. I have now skied all over the world but continue to cherish the days at monarch and look forward to teaching my kids how to ski or snowboard there. It is an amazing asset to the community and the no name basin would be a welcomed addition. I have toured back there and believe this area would be easily patrolled and kept safe from snow related injuries/fatalities.

I don't know about the ecological impact, but do not see one lift and bathroom as misplacing species or changing migration patterns.

I vote yes on this expansion proposal and know the forest service will choose what's best for the locals and travelers that recreate in San Isabel National Forest.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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