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Comments: I steadfastly oppose removal of any Whitebark Pines at Jackson Hole Mountain Resort. I do not believe there is any way to "offset" removal of any mature White Bark Pines. A deep and strong root system allows mature trees to survive. Establishing seedlings require specific conditions over an extended period of time. The conditions that allowed the current population to survive will likely not recur in the near future. As a threatened species, the Whitebark Pines should be treated accordingly. We can not afford a single loss. I believe it would be negligent to put human desire and convenience before an irreplaceable natural wonder. Please, do not approve removal of any Whitebark Pines at JRMR.