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Comments: I am a Trout Lake Land Company owner. Site 77. 17 Osprey Lane.

I object to the Telluride Mountain Club proposal for the Sheep Mountain Traverse Trail for the following reasons: The current Galloping Goose road already provides all the benefits that the proposed Traverse Trail would provide. Close the Galloping Goose route to vehicle traffic and allow only hikers and bikers.

The proposed trail would go through a wild area with wetlands and habitat for elk, bear, lynx and snowshoe hare. I also object to the arrogance of the Telluride Mountain Club in building a mountain bike trail going through Hidden Lakes and going over a water source for some Trout Lake homes without consent from the Trout Lake Land Company.