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Comments: Dear Ms Smith,

We have owned our cabin at Trout Lake for 27 years and as such are serious Stake Holders who support the critical review and recommendations of the Trout Lake Land Company.

In reading the Telluride Mountain Club's proposal, we find that their argument that trail development will enhance conservation and have no impact on wildlife life specious.

They rely heavily on their survey results and do not define the sample population of respondents.

Trout Lake is currently over utilized in the summer months. Most of the users are not respectful of norms for behavior in wilderness and adjacent areas with respect to vehicle intrusion, noise, human and material waste. Measures must be taken to preserve the wild.

The historic Trestle should not be used as a transportation or recreational hub.

Thank you for the opportunity to express our thoughts on this matter.

Sincerely,

Melanie and Kirk Bucon