Data Submitted (UTC 11): 4/9/2024 3:07:57 AM First name: Richard Last name: Ste-Marie Organization: Title: Comments: As an Eagle Vail Resident, I strongly object to this project.

- putting a trailhead at the busy Beaver Creek circle is dangerous. It is not a safe.

-The trail will not benefit the residents of Eagle Vail. We live on Deer Blvd and we use the trail often to bike and we would still get out at the current exit because it makes no sense to go to Beaver Creek and come back. -Putting a trail head at the bottom of of downhill bike trail is not a great idea. We live at the end of the Eagle Vail trail and we do not bike up the downhill because it is really steep. We bike up the road to the trail head at the top of Whiskey hill instead. It makes no sense to invite people to bike or hike up a steep uphill. Most people hike the first part of the trail because it is more flat. We rarely see hikers on the last part because it is a steep downhill with loose dirt.

-The trail will disturb our quiet neighborhood because we will have too many people in our backyards. There is no safe exit for the trail excepted trespassing on someone's yard in case of emergency.

-The area is a natural preserve. We see so much wildlife and we want to keep it that way. Most homes are build in the first quarter of the lot which leaves 3/4 of the lot natural forest. Building a trail will further destroy this fragile ecosystem.

-the trail is not necessary as there is already a bike path that goes from Vail to Edwards.

-There are many other areas that are better if Eagle Vail is looking to do trail expansion. Disturbing private properties is not necessary.

-Building the trail will increase people going to the giant cliff at the bottom of Beaver Creek. It is probably the steepest most dangerous landscape locally. It is not a good idea to make that area more accessible.

Thank you for your time, please stop this non sense project.