Data Submitted (UTC 11): 4/28/2024 11:06:41 PM First name: Joseph Last name: Pletcher Organization: Title: Comments: Hello,

Parking issues in Snoqualmie pass during winter are already considerable, and with the loss of Gold Creek I'd expect them to get significantly worse. While the proposal finds "no impact on recreation", I'd like to a see a much more substantial plan to expand winter trailhead access to help absorb the access we'd be losing as a result of this project.

As winter backcountry use continues to expand, we should be expanding our trailheads and access points to accommodate, not removing them.

Thank you