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Comments: While this is an interesting proposal with certainly some benefits, a lot of questions remain unanswered. Overall there is not enough information available to the public to make an informed decision about the proposed huts.

It sounds like these will only be accessible to guided groups and snowmobilers, which leaves out a large portion of winter backcountry users, those that self-guide. I question if that tends to benefit non-locals and those with the financial privilege to hire guides, while leaving out regular locals who just want to get out and ski. What will be put in place to ensure cooperation between all of the various user groups?

Undoubtedly there will be environmental impacts and I don't believe there has been enough information shared to determine what that will be. Will old growth forests be cut? What will be done to counteract the loss of shade, carbon sequestration, land and snow stability, biodiversity, etc.? What is the plan for water and human waste?

I urge you to please hold off and share additional information so the public can make fully informed comments about this proposal. Thank you.