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Comments: I support the ski area expansion as long as it is done with great respect to nature and wildlife. I am not in support of expanded lighting for ski training. The mountain is far too visible from nearly everywhere in town and this is a dark sky community. Additionally, schools are already closed Fridays and any kid on the ski team has afternoons off to train 2-3 of the other school days. So if they are already training 5-6 days a week, they don't need to add nights. We love and appreciate our dark sky community even if it means I can barely find my way to my front door on a dark night. It's totally worth it. All lights except snowcats should be off by dusk. Period. If you guys break the dark sky code, others will too and then you do ruin the town. Maybe the kids could do some homework at night or have some family time that doesn't involve micro-managing parents hollering at them to go faster. Thank you!