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Comments: I oppose the Hyalite/Cottonwood Fuel Reduction Project # 67535. This area, with its natural beauty and with its easy access for surrounding Gallatin County residents, provides diverse recreational value, and gives so much joy to so many of us. The proposed project will disrupt the entire area with noise and visual degradation from possible helicopters, bulldozers, trucks and saws. Obviously this impact will be felt by humans, as well as birds and wildlife. Please do not forever destroy this area on the premise it will reduce wildfire risk. The forest can maintain itself quite naturally, as has been shown.