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Comments: I have been out of the region for almost 3 decades but have moved back to SE Idaho recently and am looking forward to teaching my kids to board at Targhee! As a new season pass holder (6 of them for my whole family), I love the idea of expanded terrain.

However, as I'm sure you're aware, the ski industry as a whole has become so expensive that it's excluding new participants. The cost of owning a home in Teton Valley has already become prohibitively expensive for all but the most wealthy, so I'm not sure that increased growth at Targhee will have much impact on that side.

My biggest concern with the growth plan is the cost of tickets and season passes will continue an uncontrolled climb, making it impossible for all but the most wealthy or most committed to be able to afford to enjoy the sport and get the Targhee experience. I hope that my kids and grandkids will be able to ski or board in the future without needing a six-figure salary to afford lift tickets!

I appreciate the opportunity to provide feedback!