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Comments: Dear Forest Service,

Based on the DEIS report, expanding the resort beyond its current boundary would be tragic for wildlife, the environment, and our community. I live in Teton, and have a direct view of the ski area including many of the current lifts. I see the groomers at night from my living room. My family and I regularly access the wilderness adjacent to Grand Targhee Resort. We do ski and enjoy many activities at the resort.

I support Alternative 3, keeping Grand Targhee inbounds, without the restaurant on Fred's Mountain. The mountain-top restaurant would be an eyesore and effect the valley views. Resort boundary expansions in Alternatives 2, 4, and 5 all violate conservation priorities in the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem. Expansion is unnecessary. The impact on Teton County, Idaho, is overwhelming in terms of road use, housing, and water/sanitation. Privatizing that land at the expense of wildlife would be a loss for me and others in my community. Please keep Grand Targhee inbounds.

Sincerely,

Lisa Vitucci