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Comments: DO NOT APPROVE TARGHEE'S EXPANSION PROPOSAL

*Threatened wildlife at risk: The proposed expansion would destroy habitat for many species-including threatened ones like the grizzly bear and wolverine-that are frequently seen in the area. Their habitat should not be sacrificed for private development.

*Impact on wild landscapes: Expanding the resort would push development deeper into the forest and degrade the natural character of the area, which borders the Jedediah Smith Wilderness.

*Support for a balanced alternative: I support a modified version of Alternative 3 in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement, which allows for limited resort expansion within existing boundaries but excludes construction of Fred's Mountain Top Guest Facility.