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Comments: While I understand that most of the work will be done underground, I am concerned by the phrase "concerning dewatering and rehabilitating approximately 7,000 feet of the Libby Adit." This makes me think there is water running under the land they want to use, and this water may be very important to the land around the project and even around the forest area. That being said I am very concerned about the animals that live in this area, the trees other grass and vegetation growing in this area and near this area will be harmed by the project's "dewatering" the area listed here.

Also, I fail to see why our forest are being harmed by this project (and others) since we need all the trees we have and more to protect our climate and make it possible for us as citizens and animals to live without all the pollution in the air since the trees are vital to all of us Healthwise.