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Comments: I am a historian and in previous positions participated in several backcountry search and rescue operations so am familiar with the high stakes in emergency rescues. I approve of restoration work of the Timpanogos Emerald Lake shelter. Since it is a historic structure it represents the history of humanity's use and interest in the mountain. From a practical standpoint it serves as a necessary emergency shelter for people on the summit who may not be able to descend to the trailhead parking lots in cases of emergency, injury or extreme weather. It is a valuable piece of infrastructure that can be used by the Timpanogos Emergency Response Team, county SAR, and Forest Service and will save lives