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Comments: To whom it may concern:

I'm writing in support of the proposed South Pond Hut Special Use Permit and Project Specific Forest Plan Amendment pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act.

An ADA-accessible hut in this location takes advantage of existing infrastructure and is ideally situated to host users of the Long Trail, Catamount Trail, and future Velomont Trail, creating a new point of access to the outdoors for trail users of all ages and abilities.

As a health care provider in this state, I see daily how the positive impacts of spaces like this that allow folks to spend time outside recreating with friends and family benefiting our communities, health, and society.

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