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Comments: I've been a resident of Juneau since my parents moved our family to the area when I was two, in 1957. As I previously noted, the Herbert Glacier trail is a favorite place for hiking and trail biking for my family. I'm glad to learn about the trail rerouting and the new overlook but I am disappointed that the Herbert Glacier cabin is not going forward. This was a popular cabin proposal. Recreational cabins have value to Juneau. My two daughters and their families use them on a regular basis in the summer months.

Mines, on the other hand, lead to destruction of natural areas and pollution of our waterways. Very few Juneau residents are excited about mining in the Herbert Glacier area. A recreational cabin in this beautiful place would be much more used and appreciated by locals. In the end, a gold mine will decimate the area for recreation. Please reconsider your plan.