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Comments: I support the approval of the project as outlined in SSF Snowmaking Modernization Project. I have lived in Santa Fe for 45 years and outdoor recreation in summer and winter often take me to the SSF and the surrounding area. SSF is expected to need improved (modernized) snowmaking to keep the ski area viable during years of reduced snow and precipitation. I agree with the assessment that the benefits of the project outweigh the potential impacts.

While I do not object to the proposed grading, I do not agree with the statement, "The double fall line on the existing Sunrise ski run is challenging to navigate even for advanced skiers and riders." Advanced skiers have no trouble. Perhaps beginner and intermediate skiers have difficulty. This justification is over stated.