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Comments: I'm an avid skier and I support Alternative 2 because it strikes a good balance between improving Ski Santa Fe and protecting the environment. After reading the Environmental Assessment, I was encouraged to see that the project would not require additional water rights or increase annual water use. The analysis also found no effects on federally listed species, no long-term impacts to water quality, and no adverse effects on historic or cultural resources. The project includes measures to protect streams and wetlands, prevent erosion, control invasive weeds, and restore disturbed areas with native vegetation after construction. It is clear that the Forest Service and Ski Santa Fe have put significant thought into minimizing environmental impacts while helping the ski area adapt to changing winter conditions and continue serving the community.