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I disagree with allowing additional construction and extending the mining rights for up to 42 years. That is too long.

Thank you,

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Custer Gallatin National Forest

Dear Interested Stakeholder:

The Montana Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) and Custer Gallatin National Forest (CGNF) are commencing the Notice of Intent and 30-day public scoping period for a joint Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to analyze the potential impacts of a proposed major amendment (Amendment 014) to state Operating Permit 00118 and the federal Stillwater Mine Plan of Operations. If approved, Amendment 014 infrastructure improvements (proposed action) would provide the waste storage capacity necessary to extend the mine's operational life up to 42 years.

DEQ and CGNF are seeking substantive public input for 30 days. A substantive comment is relevant, fact-based, and specific and may offer insight, analysis, or constructive feedback on the proposed action. Please submit comments electronically: <https://cara.fs2c.usda.gov/Public/CommentInput?project=68998>.

An open house will be held on Tuesday, July 7, 2026, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Anipro Event Center in Absarokee, MT (2878 MT-78, Absarokee, MT 59001). At 5 p.m., DEQ and CGNF will give a brief presentation. The presentation will be live-streamed via Zoom to provide online or telephone access for remote participants: <https://mt-gov.zoom.us/j/83049260084?pwd=T0l72j2ULneFx4AV8LkKE6067SmLTu.1> or by phone by calling +1-206-337-9723.

For more information and instructions on how to submit comments, visit the project website: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/r01/custergallatin/projects/68998> or contact: Craig Jones (DEQ) at crajones@mt.gov or 406-444-0514 or Erin Fryer (CGNF) at comments-northern-custergallatin-nepaprojects@usda.gov or 406-468-8277.

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