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Dear Caribou Targhee National Forest representatives,

I am writing to voice an opinion that I don't think Grand Targhee Resort should be allowed to expand their boundaries and operations into the adjacent national forest.

As an avid skier/ biker/ hiker/ climber/ hunter and fisherman that really enjoys spending time in the western Tetons, I think the national forest that is adjacent to Grand Targhee Resort is more valuable to the local people and regional communities if managed as pristine and wild. I'd rather see Driggs and the surrounding Teton Valley communities retain their small town, family friendly vibe, rather than expand and become more expensive and popular with tourists like Jackson Hole valley. I'd much rather have skin tracks and prime grizzly bear habitat, than I would have more chair lifts and lines of people in this part of the national forest.

Thanks for your consideration,