



Besides destroying our paradise:

GLB Railways proposed route enters our property and cuts an angled swathe through our woods, crosses thru a flood plain zone and across the creek (ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD). It then travels next to a large pond, up the hill which wipes out most of our red pines that were planted 50 years ago. The train route would then cross the front field to Afton Rd. Where it would cross Afton Rd, there are pines I planted 16 years ago to block road traffic sound and lights. The railway would need to cut down two hundred feet of those pines at the crossing of Afton Rd. This would leave pines on either side of the tracks blocking its view from the road traffic. (TRAFFIC HAZARD) The train will create a sound hazard as it passes thru the bottom of the valley.

All this damage is not worth it to us or our environment!!!

Thank you for your time,
Cindi Frees
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↓ = Pond

↓ Flooded creek

50 acre Paradise



↓ Pond

center pk
pines @
Road


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