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Submission Text

I am for a no action alternative to this project proposal for a coal mine at otter creek in Montana. It is of my opinion that considering the displacement of other mine workers to be the offsetting of environmental stress from the proposed new arch coal company mine is speculation rather than strategic and careful planning as well as it is wrong from the standpoint of labor, as arch coal is nonunion. I think doing some compare and contrast with green energy jobs instead would help gain a fuller perspective and creative ways to go forward in generating energy without harming people and the planet. Thank you, Michelle L. Wood