

“Pete Lien and Sons Rochford Mineral Exploratory Drilling Project #67838” - Public Comment

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It is my belief, and I would venture that of most American's, that our public lands should prioritize the protection of outdoor spaces for the public over increased profits for private companies. These spaces should be used to preserve clean water, clean air, wildlife populations, and outdoor recreation opportunities, not for extractive industries. It is also my understanding that this proposed mining exploration project is to be located on lands considered sacred by local indigenous communities. It is frankly abhorrent how we as a nation continually disregard the promises we made with these communities and continue to put them in harms way. For these reasons I oppose this project.