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**Subject:** FW: WWW Mail: Hell Canyon  
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From [REDACTED]  
Sent: Friday, February 17, 2023 3:55 PM  
To: FS-r2 blackhills webinfo <SM.FS.r2\_bkf\_webin@usda.gov>  
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I strongly oppose allowing possible mining in Hell Canyon. It is a beautiful, unique place that is loved by Those who hike in the black Hills. There is a herd of bighorn sheep who live there, and we've seen calliope, broad tailed, and rufous hummingbirds there, as well as many other bird species when hiking the canyon. I feel it is an important bird and animal habitat that should not be endangered by mining.