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- Hello,
- I have spent a great deal of time hiking in the area that is currently under consideration for exploratory mining.
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- I am wondering why an EIS isn't required for this project, which would certainly seem appropriate.
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- Basically I think it would be a shame (borderline criminal) to destroy this beautiful area of the Black Hills. And where would it end?

In short, I am adamantly opposed to permitting exploratory drilling in Hell Canyon and surrounding lands.

Donna Watson

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