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Comments: Please reconsider the decision to open this public land for oil/gas leasing. When weighing the potential gains from this versus the losses, it is obvious to me that the losses will far outweigh the gains to the public as a whole. The potential dangers to the aquifers with fracking has been demonstrated and is extremely disturbing for this area. It certainly appears the abundant wildlife in this area will be negatively impacted as well as the pristine wilderness and natural beauty that this area is known for.

We need to focus tomorrow's energy needs on renewable sources with little or no negative environmental impact.

PLEASE RECONSIDER. Thank you