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Comments: I strongly oppose the use of land in the Ruby Mountains area for drilling or fracking. We have now arrived at a point in history where we realize the value of unspoiled wild areas and the need to restrain ourselves from leaving a human footprint on them.

I pay taxes to the government in the hope that it will protect our national treasures from corporate greed. I would like to see substantive analysis of how these proposed activities could harm wildlife or pollute water. If it is determined that those outcomes are remotely possible, then we should not allow drilling or fracking in those areas.

Once the damage is done, it cannot be undone.