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Comments:

I know local Forest Service officials are instructed by the Donald Trump administration political appointees to ignore public comments on projects such as this one. The oil industry is to have no restrictions on its activities on public lands according to the Donald Trump administration. This is obvious. The public understands this. I know you will ignore all public comment against this pipeline but the hope is that these comments will be useful when litigation against the Forest Service for approving the pipeline occurs.

I live near the area in question and am an American citizen and part owner of the national forests. The PETROX Northern Extension Pipeline and associated fracking activity cannot be allowed in designated roadless areas by law. The destruction of this rare roadless area will be permanent and cannot be mitigated for. Pipelines leak and explode and often kill people when they do. The product in the pipeline is extremely toxic. The oil companies will install the pipeline at minimal cost and the damage to the environment will be permanent and extreme.

Thus I oppose this pipeline project and all other oil and gas development on national forest lands.