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Comments: Dear Ms. Marcia Gilles and others,

I am writing to express that I am vehemently opposed to this special use permit you're considering. I have explored and photographed this area extensively for many years. I've witnessed its unique flora, fauna and geological formations in all seasons. The fens are especially spectacular. Flooding a section of this valley and a section of the Holy Cross Wilderness Area would be an abomination.

We must exercise extreme critical thinking when considering land and water use not just the short term. The eyes of history are watching very carefully right now. Would you really want your names forever attached to this short-sighted project that will have multi-generational destructive impacts on an area that's taken more than 10,000 years to create?

I implore you to deny this permit.

Thank you,
Steven DeWitt, Jr.