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Comments: As a lifelong Montana resident, I am opposed to any and all expansion of mining in the state. This specific area is one of our most beautiful and is an important area for outdoor recreation. The risks of contamination and disruption are not worth the benefit to the public and I therefore oppose this action.