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Comments: The following is copied from another's comments letter but I agree and stand with the points mentioned. Of utmost concern is the lack of an environmental impact study, not only for the wildlife in the area (including the Elk refuge located at the Upper French Creek Rd where it connects to Custer Limestone) and the land owners/dwellers in regards to noise, land destruction and water supply. The lack of any long term plan beyond the one year and actual drilling plans if gold is found is very disconcerting. The entire proposal seems vague and deceptive and without respect for the people who have invested in this area.

My family has had land in this area for over 30 years and we hope to continue to keep a family home in BugTown for many years to come.

We ask for more transparency in the planning and for at minimum an impact study and protection for homeowners who could be impacted in terms of water supply, noise, road use/ maintenance and overall quality of life.

Sincerely,

Sandra Hagen