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Comments: Mining has been a vital, reliable, and consistent economic driver in the Black Hills for four decades. Not only does it provide stable well paying jobs, the mining companies give back to the region in so many ways. They support many local organizations directly with monetary donations and indirectly with volunteer time. The impact of mining on the region is a small portion of disturbance within the 20,000+ acres. It provides critical minerals for what we need to live daily. When the mining is over, it is reclaimed back to its former state. I am in support of allowing mining in this area and against withdrawal of any acreage.