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Comments: I am FOR the Pactola area mineral withdrawal. And I want the area covered by a mineral withdrawal that is larger than the current one. Ideally covering the entire Rapid creek watershed. Our planet continues to experience the dramatic and rapidly increasing impacts of climate change which includes more frequent droughts affecting the country. Protecting our water sources NOW is more important that it has ever been and will continue to be more important to the survival of entire watersheds and the ecology that they support moving into the future. WE MUST PROTECT OUR WATER NOW!