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Comments: I am concerned about the proposed mining projects in the spearfish and spearfish canyon areas. My concerns are that future projects will affect the beauty of this area. We should protect our natural resources and that includes the water and wildlife in this area. My secondary concern is to tourism and that many many people use this area for recreation. We bike, hike and atv in these proposed areas and I would hate to see the access to these lands be restricted and the beauty and solitude be affected. Please do not allow these projects to move forward. Leave the beauty of the northern black hills alone.