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Comments: I am opposed to mining in Spearfish Canyon or any new area in the Black Hills. This is a beautiful area and we do not need to ruin it beauty by allowing mining. Our wildlife already has enough encroachment on their habitat. Also what will it do to the water in the area. I have seen problems mining can cause in Colorado. Chemicals get into the water system no matter what is done to prevent it.