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Comments: This project has the potential to directly harm the local water that my children and I drink, bathe and swim in. I don't know what world would see such a project as an acceptable or conscionable way forward. Americans' health and lives (even those in rural South Dakota) are not expendable in the name of greed.

Clean water is an increasingly precious resource, one on which we cannot turn back the clock. What we have today must be preserved for the generations of today and tomorrow. This administration has promised the moon when it comes to climate change, clean water, and the environment; how about just starting with not polluting our existing water, or wasting it on drilling endeavors aimed at enriching a few?

The company will promise "no contamination." But we have heard such promises time and again, only to find failure. Why risk our precious water, wildlife, and woods to empty promises?

I am wholeheartedly against this project. I ask the Biden administration to make good on its environmental promises, starting in rural South Dakota. Reject the Golden Crest Drilling project. We the People, we the voters, will be watching.