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Comments: Dear Forest Service,

I hereby submit my objection to the Golden Crest Exploration Drilling Project #62590. The Black Hills area and chiefly the communities of and surrounding Spearfish, Lead & Deadwood rely heavily on the recreational amenities in the area where drill sites are to be placed. Albeit exploratory at this point, I request that no action be taken and the project not occur, therefore preventing any impact or changes to existing roads and trails.

We are an active family and we enjoy mountain biking, fat biking, and cross-country skiing. We utilize the trail system such as Big Hill and Tinton year-round and it is part of what we enjoy about the lifestyle that is available to us in Spearfish. Therefore, we do not wish for any action to be taken that would negatively impact these trails.

Sincerely,

Karen Chau (citizen of Spearfish)