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Comments: I do not believe that moving forward with this exploration drilling is a good path to start down. I live very near Big Hill and get to see that how many people benefit from the Black Hills National Forest. This area plays a critical role to the areas watershed and many other amenities nature has to offer. I have witnessed what mining has done to other local areas and do not want that to happen with what we have here.