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Comments: I strongly oppose mining in the Spearfish Canyon area. So many people enjoy this beautiful area. Bikers, hikers, hunters, fisherman in the canyon, it goes on and on. The impact on the wildlife... Reclamation? That's a joke. Once the natural state is gone, it's gone for good. Some places deserve to be preserved from mining. This is one of them. At the very least, please conduct an EIS.

Thank you to the people who brought this to the publics attention.