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I plead to Forest Service to say YES to the Pactola Reservoir-Rapid Creek Watershed Withdrawal.

Good water quality is essential to all beings. Mineral mining is threatening this. As essential is to preserve nature. Nature and species are disappearing fast and creates unbalance, and speeds up the climate crisis. And just as important it is to respect the sacred lands of the Lakota People.

For the same reasons all federal lands in the Black Hills should be protected from exploitation.

Sincerely

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