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Comments: I want the Forest Service to say YES to the Pactola Reservoir-Rapid Creek Watershed Withdrawal.

Please do an Environmental Assessment (EA).

Please issue a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) when the EA has been completed. There will, in fact, be no significant impact to the land once the miners are forced to withdraw!

My primary reasons for support of the mineral withdrawal are preserving water quality and cultural values, keeping the water free of toxic pollutants, respecting the sacred lands of the Lakota People, and preserving the site for recreation.

I am NOT asking for a full Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Instead I want an EA, which is a much faster process.