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Comments: Hello - I'm writing to strongly encourage the Forest Service to say YES to the Pactola Reservoir-Rapid Creek Watershed Withdrawal and ask the Forest Service to do an Environmental Assessment (EA) with a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) when the EA has been completed.

This may seem counterintuitive, but there will, in fact, be no significant impact to the land once the miners are forced to withdraw! Keep the Black Hills beautiful. We've seen the irreversible devastation these projects cause to water, toxins, and cultural loss of our beautiful region.

Respectfully, for our collective future - not short term profits,

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