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Comments: These communities nourish many native and non-native communities. These are not only lands sacred to peoples religions and beliefs and practice and ansestory- but they are filled with abundant resources needed for people to survive!! Taking that away or screwing with that is criminal and unjust. I support expanding the area to include all federal lands in the Black Hills.

Please, please, please do not withdraw minerals from these lands.

Respect the people that live there like your next door neighbor. Keep the lands pristine and protected so not only our ecology can be maintained but so that the communities within the area do not suffer.

Thank you for hearing me out, please do the right thing.