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Comments:

I SUPPORT the mineral claims withdrawal, AND urge the Forest Service to consider an expansion/additional withdrawal:

UPSTREAM from Pactola to protect tributaries that supply water to the Reservoir (as well as cultural & natural resources in those areas)

DOWNSTREAM from Pactola to protect aquifers that Rapid Creek flows into (as well as cultural & natural resources in those areas)

I ask for protection of the entire Rapid Creek Watershed as the best way to protect surface & groundwater that Rapid City, Ellsworth Air Force Base, and surrounding communities rely on