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Comments:

I strongly urge the Forest Service to:

Say YES to the Pactola Reservoir-Rapid Creek Watershed Withdrawal.

Do an Environmental Assessment (EA).

Do a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) when the EA has been completed.

Nix mineral withdrawal! Keep good water quality(mining causes toxic pollutants) And Respect these Sacred lands of the Lakota People!

(also have cultural & recreational values).

Your attention to this most urgent matter would be much appreciated by all present & future generations of all species.

Thank you

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