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I am a private citizen who strongly supports the withdrawal. I grew up visiting my uncle, a Forest Service employee working in Colorado for most of his career, and he shared so many of the state's natural treasures with his family. Indeed, Colorado's wilderness is a treasure for everyone to appreciate, respect, and preserve.

As we collectively address the climate crisis, humankind's impact on our biosphere, and how we can remediate a century and a half of destruction on our continent, I applaud the Forest Service and the Biden administration for halting mining activity in the Thompson Divide to assess and preserve our shrinking supply of clean water.

Sincerely,

Sarah Cypher