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Comments: It is my firm belief, in support of the BWCAW, that mining not exist near the BWCAW, due to the significant ecological impact said mining could have on the area in its entirety. It is also my firm belief, that many of the concerns and challenges that the BWCAW is experiencing, i.e. pollution, light pollution, forest fires, campsite maintenance, etc., could start to be alleviated if permits were drastically reduced. The BWCAW is 1 of only few identified dark sky sanctuaries in the world, and in order to maintain its ability to provide sanctuary to its inhabitants and ecosystems that thrive in the area, I hope my above words are heard.