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Comments: Please research the long lasting and damaging effects that the mine plan of operations will have on the wildlife population. How can we protect the endangered species, some of the 60 rare animals existing in the Sky Islands?

Please study the impacts on the quality and quantity of drinking water as well as how the Patagonia town water sources will be affected by the Hermosa Mine dewatering.

Please research the safety of the cement paste backfill and if it will leech any toxins into the surrounding areas where it will be used.

Please research further the maximum amount of manganese to be mined, where the ore will be processed, and how the manganese will be safe guarded to prevent human health disasters?

Thank you.