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Comments: I absolutely support this Withdrawal. The Rapid Creek Watershed area that is being discussed is both pristine and sensitive. If a mine is allowed into this area it may very well contaminate it in such a way that it will never be recovered. Like the Boundary Waters area in Minnesota this area is too beautiful, too pristine and far too sensitive for a mining operation to be allowed. It is clear to me that the Rapid Creek Watershed area must be protected from any and all threats posed by a mining operation. That is why I absolutely support this Withdrawl.