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Comments: I am emailing you today to support the withdrawal of approvals to allow any mining, drilling or other disturbance of the 20,000+ acres in the Black Hills of the Rapid Creek Watershed.

I am against the idea that for profit companies should be permitted to continue destroying or threatening our public and treaty lands. This includes areas down stream and down slopes from drilling and excavation sites. The longterm financial and ecological value of this site and areas adjacent that should be protected is incalculable. This means currently and in the future!

Temporary cooperate profits by private parties must not be allowed to outweigh the longterm effects of such activity.

Please expedite with positive recommendation the Withdrawal of all such permits to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior and any other regulatory departments.