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Comments: I support the Pactola Reservoir - Rapid Creek Watershed withdrawal. The headwaters of the Rapid Creek Watershed must be protected from disturbance and pollution at all costs. Mining has no place in a place of such profound ecological importance. The site is of great spiritual significance as well, as it is part of the Black Hills, which are sacred to the Lakota people. As an American, I feel strongly that such sites must be protected and kept pristine.

In addition, I would ask you to please expedite this Withdrawal Proposal to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior.

Thank you very much.