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Comments: I work on mining issues around the world, specifically with communities that are facing the negative impacts of mining. The Black Hills is an incredibly sacred and important area that cannot stand to be destroyed further by mining corporations. Yes, I support the proposed Pactola/Rapid Creek area mineral claims withdrawal and want to have the area protected from mining, drilling and exploration for 20 years.