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Comments: I am a longtime resident and outdoor enthusiast in the Black Hills. I am also an avid hiker, grandmother and concerned citizen. I am commenting on the Rochford Mineral Exploratory Drilling Project by Pete Lien. Drilling projects like this one can have a very negative impact on water resources, wildlife, recreation and Lakota sacred sites. I am especially worried about contamination of water in the upper Rapid Creek watershed. I am requesting that the Forest Service do an Environmental Impact Statement on this project. I am also requesting a 60 day extension of the Scoping public comment period so everyone has the opportunity to comment. Please reject this drilling request.