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Comments: This land is not only sacred but IS protected. Our government has agreed to continue to protect it and drilling, mining, and destroying not only does not fall under the purview of protection it is an act that will permanently damage the area negatively affecting the lives of uncounted generations of Americans, the most heavily impacted of which are indigenous populations who have always been here and whose culture and livelihood depends upon the restoration of this land; which is the complete opposite of its destruction. The drilling is exploratory; this shouldn't even be a conversation or something you need public comment on. You know the answer should be no, you just need to say so.