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Comments: I am writing as a concerned citizen, requesting no drilling, mining or any sort of mineral withdrawal be allowed on this land and that its protected status continue. Protecting this land from mineral withdrawal also protects and assures there will be clean drinking water and cleaner air. These Black Hills lands are sacred with traditional spiritual significance to several of the Great Plains Tribes of North America, which must be respected and protected for future generations. The Pactola Reservoir-Rapid Creek Watershed also proved many benefits to the people and communities of the area, from clean water to recreation, in addition to livestock grazing. For all of these reasons, please do not allow mining or mineral withdrawal.

Thank you.