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Comments: This project has a catastrophic environmental impact. Aside from the environmental dangers it presents, it is also the location at the sacred site known as Pe'Sla. This project is a violation of Tribal treaty rights and an attack on Indigenous cultural values.

Pe'Sla is an ancient holy site to which the Lakota people still return for ceremonial gathering annually, as well as for individual spiritual purposes throughout the year. This site is irreplaceable to multiple tribe's religious practices.

We must preserve holy sites for the native population with the same attention we give to other religious institutions.