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Comments: I strongly object to another gravel mine (pit ) in the Black Hills.

You can't hardly go anywhere in the hills without coming into contact with another gravel mine.

For certain any run off into our water system would be a bad idea.

Our fresh water is essential to our area. The northern hills provide a lot of runoff and we are sorely lacking these last years.

Pactola is so low. The natural creeks and springs in our area of the hills are dry?? There used to be water running all the time.

Just some concerns here.

I guess that I think they have enough gravel pits to last several lifetimes. Castle creek is a beautiful area and the runoff would flow into Rapid's water reserves.

I guess it is my opinion but there it is. I can send pictures of the dried up creeks we used to have on our properties?