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Comments: Pope Francis in his first encyclical, Laudato Si , spoke of the Earth as our Mother and of its sacredness. This is not just an indigenous issue. It is the great sin or blindness of our industrial society and the extraction industries in particular that they defile and desecrate sacred land.

I implore you to prevent the desecration of the Black Hills, by denying the mining companies permits on Pe' Sla.