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Comments: Rochford Mineral Exploratory Drilling Project #67838 is likely to contaminate water in the upper Rapid Creek watershed and would have a negative impact on Lakota sacred practices, by damaging the Pe' Sla.

As one who has long honored the religious traditions of many groups, and as one who has Lakota friends, I urgently ask that you extend the comment period for another 60 days.

As an elder who wants to leave a livable planet for future generations, I also ask that the Forest Service require an Environmental Impact Statement for this project.