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Comments: I oppose the Rochford Mineral Exploratory Drilling Project because of the negative environmental impacts and simply because it's wrong to infringe on Lakota land and traditional cultural practices. The Black Hills are sacred lands and should be left untouched. Would you like it if land that meant something to you, say, your parent's or grandparent's graves, were desecrated by drilling, by being turned up and displaced for minerals? Leaving the Black Hills untouched may be unrealistic in the face of corporate interests, so a 60 day extension of the public comment period should be instituted and an Environmental Impact Statement needs to be done.