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Comments: I am commenting on the proposed Rochford Mineral Exploratory Drilling Project #67838.

- 1) I think it is important to offer a 60-day extension to allow the public to comment on the project.
- 2) I do NOT think that the project is in the best interest of the public and the adjacent Lakota People. It likely will produce very limited collective benefit and a high profit to the company that is extracting.
- 3) The project is likely to have negative environmental impacts with a minimal public benefit - perhaps some temporary jobs - but at a near-permanent loss of the area affected.

Thank you for your consideration,

Stephen Pink