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Comments: Treaties have been broken in regards to the Black Hills for hundreds of years, since the time of Crazy Horse and Black Elk. It is a sacred site and shall be respected as such. In the year 2025 I can hardly believe that this is a current issue. this governmen should impose all those treaties from back then! I am sure We could prevent future damage if we rectify our past mistake. It could start by honoring the word written back in 1868.

'Treaty of Fort Laramie:

The 1868 treaty designated the Black Hills as part of the Great Sioux Reservation, guaranteeing the exclusive use and occupation of the area by the Sioux'

'Violation of Treaty:

The discovery of gold in 1874 prompted the U.S. government to violate the treaty by sending troops into the Black Hills and eventually seizing the land in 1877'

No more empty promises. Stop hurting the land for economic gains.

We as natives are stewards of this land. This government has managed to destroy our waters, our air, as it keeps searching for money gains. Showing no real interest in how these money moves impact our eco-system, or the well being of the people. We are the voices speaking for those who cannot, like the mountains, the trees, the rivers, the plants, the animals. All are impacted when these destructive behaviors are enacted. There must be a STOP to all this NOW! #LANDBACK

RETURN THE HILLS TO THE LAKOTA SIOUX.