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Comments: To whom this may concern,

I wanted to take a moment to reach out to speak up against the drilling that is planned to take place. I may not live near the location, but there are many, especially from the Lakota people, who consider this space holy and feel is worthy of being protected. In ignoring this, I feel that you would be doing a great disservice to those being impacted. Wouldn't this be an open invitation for this work to be done at other sacred sites? Is it truly worth impacting something this special? I don't think so and I hope you can find it in your hearts to reconsider and find a different way to go about this.

Thank you, Janise A.