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Comments: This desecration of sacred land cannot be allowed. The Lakota deserve safe and ancestral access to their lands and digging or drilling at this site would make that impossible as well as harming the native ecology of the site. We need more lands undamaged by industrial pollution if we hope to help humanity and our companion species survive and thrive. Mineral extraction is incredibly harmful to all life, we should be focused more on recycling and repurposing already existing mineral components to create closed loops instead of continuing to extract and dump excess we are creating.