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Comments: As someone who's lived in this area my whole life, I'm heartbroken at the thought of gold mining in Spearfish Canyon. It's one of the most beautiful, sacred places in the Black Hills, not just for locals, but for wildlife, tourism, and tribal communities, too. The risks to our water, land, and cultural sites just aren't worth it. We've seen what mining can do, and we shouldn't repeat that damage here.