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Comments: Hello,I was born and raised in Wyoming and I currently live in Montana. I came across information today that there is going to be a mining project by Devils Tower and I am only hoping that there's still time for public comment. Devils Tower was such a fun field trip when I was growing up in Wyoming and it was one of two field trips that we as kids looked forward to the most. The place is magical, second only to perhaps the Yellowstone Teton area which I think is the most beautiful land in the entire country- possibly the world. It breaks my heart to know that the preservation of the surrounding area of devil's Tower is up for sale and going to be inviting in a mining company that will completely trash the magic of the whole area. I can only think of the children growing up in Wyoming right now and all future children and current people who love that area when I think of a mine being allowed access. I know the land has been sacred for many native tribes as well and a place that has deep beauty second to none should be preserved for what future we have. Once someone comes in there mining for rare Earth elements the whole area is going to be ruined. Mining leaves deep scars and the environment around a mine is thrashed for even the most conscientious minors. Do you want your legacy to be attached to this atrocity? We can't fix it once a mine has thrashed it.Thank you,