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Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality
122 W. 25th St.
Cheyenne, WY 82002

RE: Ross Uranium Mine

Dear Ms. Nuttbrock,

We are very concerned about Strata Energy's proposed Ross Uranium Mine near Devil's Tower and its effects on groundwater and other community resources. Strata Energy's proposed in-situ leach uranium mine in Crook County is a threat to Wyoming's clean environment.

Historically in-situ leach uranium mining operations have led to groundwater pollution because of spills and leaks. Groundwater is never cleaned up to levels existing before the mining operation. This is a price we cannot afford to pay. Water in the West is more precious than any mineral including gold and uranium!

We urge to reject this application to mine uranium near the nation's first national monument. Our water is too precious to endanger!

Thank you for this opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

Neil O. Miller
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