

**Public comments on Draft Section 321 – Hard
Rock Mining Operations Ordinance for
Pennington County, SD**

DUE OCTOBER 6, 2019

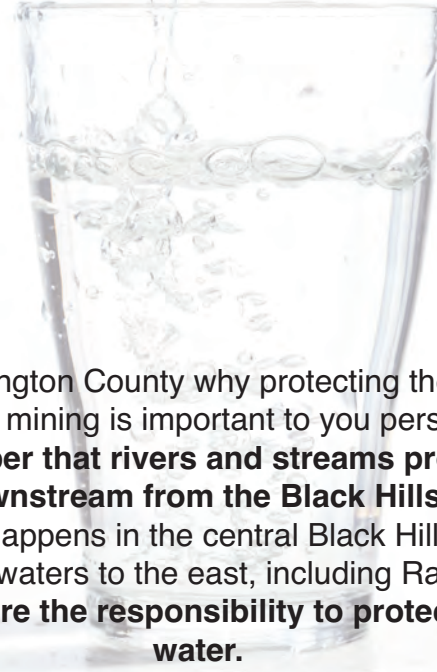
View Draft Ordinance and comment under Planning Department tab at www.pennco.org AND email pcboc@pennco.org asking the County to:

- **Provide protection from the potential impacts of mining exploration** by putting in place a strong exploratory drilling permitting process.
- **Protect cultural and historical resources by enforcing meaningful** consultation with Tribes and information from other local specialists.
- **Protect the public interest** by limiting the locations and conditions under which mining would be allowed. For example, it's not in the public interest to allow mining near streams and lakes.
- **Broaden public participation** by providing public notices in more newspapers and requiring reasonable public comment opportunities.

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PROTECT RAPID CITY'S WATER SUPPLY

SEND COMMENTS ON NEW LAW TO THE
COUNTY COMMISSION BY OCTOBER 6



Tell Pennington County why protecting the Black Hills from mining is important to you personally.

Remember that rivers and streams proceed downstream from the Black Hills.

If mining happens in the central Black Hills, it will also affect waters to the east, including Rapid City.

We all share the responsibility to protect clean water.

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