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Mr. Radford,

The image on this card is of the Boundary Waters. A place of tremendous beauty and tranquility.

I strongly encourage you to support a ban on mining in the watershed land that impact the Boundary Waters. Please

I don't believe that mining can be done in a way that will not damage the Boundary Waters.

Here is what I see happening in the mining industry: (1) The mine is designed with adequate environmental protections (2) The mining is approved by the regulators (3) The mine operates (4) The price of the mineral at some point drops (Virtually all minerals are subject to wide price swings) (5) The price drop of the mineral means costs must be cut in the operations (6) environmental safeguards are overlooked or cut back due to cost cutting (7) Pollution is released (8) Our precious Boundary Waters are damaged for generations.

Don't Let this happen!

Support the mining Ban in the Superior Natural Forest Please! B. Busta