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Dear Director Simpson:

I would hereby like to protest the inclusion of the above referenced parcels in the lease sale advertised by the Bureau of Land Management on October 17, 2008. I request the above parcels be withdrawn from sale for the following reasons:

Exploration of gas and OIL in this area would potentially ruin the area I consider my Backyard.

The greater little mountain Area has extensive recreational opportunities which are at Risk from these leases.

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Potential For polution to all water drainages in the area,

Ruin the Pristine Family Recreation area.

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- 2) The inclusion of these parcels would jeopardize these recreational opportunities through increased road densities, damage to critical big and small game habitat, increased sedimentation of Trout Creek and Current Creek, and the overall disturbance of this unique area.
- 3) This area also holds some of Wyoming's best trophy mule deer and elk hunting opportunities. Sage grouse are abundant in the area and Trout Creek and Current Creek hold populations of Colorado River Cutthroat Trout. Sage grouse and Colorado River Cutthroat are species of concern across much of Wyoming.
- 4) I first experienced the Greater Little Mountain Area as a young boy with my father and want to be able to pass the same experience to my children. It will truly be sad if I have to tell them how great this place used to be before it was developed.

Respectfully,

Kreston Cross

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