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HB0078, Environmental protection agency actions.

Sponsors: Representative(s) Miller, Jaggi, Larsen, Loucks, Reeder and Winters and Senator(s) Bebout, Coe, Cooper, Geis and Hicks

Comments

This bill is aimed at the EPA's effort to re-draw the boundaries of the Wind River Reservation. The EPA has backed down (for the moment, anyway). It may have fulfilled its purpose without even being passed.

U: There is the potential for an indeterminable expenditure increase from the federal natural resource policy account. I was taught in school that the US Constitution created a federal republic that was allowed to exercise certain LIMITED powers, to wit, foreign diplomacy, national defense and commerce. It is long past time that the separate and Sovereign States of the American union start examining and taking back the powers that have been stolen and/or bribed away from them! Governmental centralization is always inimical to Liberty. Ignoring the provisions of the Constitutions of the USA or of the State of Wyoming almost always promotes the centralization of governmental power and damages Liberty.

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