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\*\*\* 62 constituents want you to know their views regarding Protect the Tongass National Forest \*\*\*

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Letter Text

Please preserve the Tongass National Forest, the largest temperate rainforest on our planet, by not rolling back the Roadless Rule protecting the Tongass. If old-growth logging were to resume in the 9.3 million acres of the Tongass national forest protected by the Roadless Rule, the real drivers of the region's economy - recreation, tourism, guiding and fishing - would be imperiled. Our nation's largest national forest absorbs approximately 8 percent of the nation's annual global warming pollution. No other national forest even comes close, making the Tongass the nation's premier climate insurance policy. Changing the Roadless Rule only causes environmental degradation of a vital forest ecosystem for our planet.

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