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Comments: In the Chugach National Forest, the Forest Service is entrusted to manage some of Alaska's most treasured wild lands. I respectfully urge you not to change that now, by allowing residential timber harvests, expanded motorized uses, manipulation of habitats, mining, and helicopter-assisted skiing and hiking, which would harm this beautiful Wilderness Study Area. It defies common sense. Instead, the Forest Service should maintain current protections and recommend to Congress its perpetuation into the future. This world-class wild area deserves permanent protection now and far into the future!