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Comments: My wife and I are long term Alaskan residents and we both oppose any reduction of area of the PWS Wilderness Study Area. We have enjoyed using this area for years for fishing, hunting, and kayak trips and have another kayak trip planned for this summer. We strongly feel that this area is a unique area, worthy of wilderness protection so that it remains wild and undeveloped for our descendants use. There is no overriding reason to reduce the size of the areas considered for protection other than the wish of a few companies to obtain land and rights for their own profit which would diminish the wildness of the area for everyone else.

We ask that you do not decrease protections for this wonder area of Alaska and urge you to recommend that the area be designated an official Wilderness by congress.

thanks for your consideration of our views.

Allen & Anita Tigert