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Comments: We have enjoyed Prince William Sound for nearly five decades, kayaking, sailing, hiking, skiing, rowing, and gathering-fishing, berry picking, mushrooms, kelp, clamming and mussels, and of course, the vast and myriad wildlife, black and brown bears, sea and river otters, whales and porpoises, and spectacular birdlife, from waterfowl to eagles, shorebirds, migratory species including hummingbirds to name but a few. The rollicking upland meadows with bonsai creations, tarns, lush meadows, wildflowers, and creatures seen and unseen. The dazzling green, blue, and white. Still glaciated. Anchorages deep and protected. Dripping spruce and hemlock. The air so very sweet to inhale and roll about the nostrils. Incomparable, pure wild bounty, unequalled on this planet. Still pristine, but threatened. Once lost....

My family strongly, absolutely, urges establishment of Wilderness classification of the current Wilderness Study Area and the greatest Wilderness extension possible.

Thank you.

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