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Comments: Growing up in Alaska the Chugach mountains have been our home away from home. Hiking, backpacking, and snowmachining have been our outlets to enjoy this beautiful State. We frequently use the areas in Whittier, Thompson Pass, and Turnagain as our go to recreational sites.

I am strongly opposed to losing any more land for snowmachine terrain.

As and employee of the Anchorage Fire Department I can tell you our trails serve as emergency access routes for first responders to more easily get to any motorized or non-motorized incident requesting assistance of back country rescue efforts.

This would be a huge hit to the snowmachine community by restricting more land. We are coming together not to create conflict, but so we can all come to some kind of fair agreement everyone feels good about.

Thanks for your time, and allowing us to voice our concerns and opinions.

Sincerely

Janna Kemper