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Comments: 1. Protect the "wilderness character" of the WSA".

2. Protect the wilderness character of the lands in the WSA by classifying all of them with the Forest Service's "Primitive" standard, which is the most protective standard in the agency's recreational classification system.

3. Restore strong protection to the lands within the WSA that the federal government purchased following the 1989 Exxon Valdez oil spill. These lands were acquired for the restoration of wilderness values and must be managed "in perpetuity for conservation and wilderness purposes," as promised when they were purchased.

4. The Chugach NF needs to enforce rules against illegal recreational use of chainsaws in the WSA.

5. Preserve in its entirety and with the highest environmental standards, the Nellie Juan-College Fiord WSA because it is a national treasure. We need to leave it's nearly two million acres of ancient rainforest, wild salmon, stunning mountains and glaciers and its meandering fiords are laced with hundreds of remote islands for generations to come.

6. Designate the 6.9 million-acre Chugach as Wilderness using the 'primitive standard'.