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Comments: Hello, I am a supporter of strong protections for the Nellie Juan-College Fiord Wilderness Study Area in Alaska's Chugach NF, and I have some concerns with the orest Service's Final Plan and Environmental Impact Statement. Please consider changing the plan to protect the "wilderness character" of the study area, not just it's "existing character". Please classify the full WSA as "Primitive". Please also restore wilderness management to the lands purchased post-Exxon Valdez. The Forest Service must also address the rampant illegal use of chainsaws within the WSA. Finally, I support a modified Alternative D that recommends the entire WSA, as well as those lands purchased post-Exxon Valdez as federally designated Wilderness. Thank you.