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Comments: Hi my name is Ivar Carlson and I'm a avid snowmobile rider living in the Anchorage area, I have not lived here my whole life, I moved here 10 years ago from Fairbanks, Ak and have made an incredible amount of friends that enjoy the same passion I do riding in the CNF, most of the them i feel are more than just friends, they are like family, they've taken me out to areas I never knew existed, places you couldn't dream of, let alone be taken there by a snowmachine..... I would be devastated beyond measure if that would be taken away from us. Those mountains are our escape to free our souls and be at peace with ourselves and friends, that's where we go to relax, that's what we do to keep from going crazy during the winter months, to have that stripped from underneath us so quickly would be like someone coming into your home and saying you can't live there anymore. It would be just heartbreaking, it's our way of life up here, so many people from around the world want to come here to share the same greatness and passion us locals get to see every day and have the opportunity to live in such an amazing state, I'm really at a loss for words on why this is happening, but I sure hope it doesn't happen, please reconsider what you are doing and dont take this away from the people that live here. Thank you!