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Comments: Hello, my name is Tyler presley and I am in favor of keeping motorized use in the Chugach national forest area the same as it has been and to keep managing it how it has been since the original management plan in 2002. I have been riding snowmobiles in the Chugach range all my life and have seen extreamly minimal impact on the wildlife and habitat. To take away this opertunity is like taking a way of life away from a big community of people. This community promotes so much revenue and activity throughout the Chugach area. Management plan C and D should NOT be used for many reasons. For example, confining the snowmobiling community down to such a small area to ride would hurt that area a lot more. Letting riders be able to spread out would keep the impact on the land even more minimal. Snowmobile tracks even help the wildlife travel through the deep snow. I've personally seen moose struggle to move through deep snow. Making it very easy for predators to take them. The community of people who ride recreational vehicles in the Chugach area have respect for the land and try to preserve it, because it gives us the opertunity to experience such a beautiful place and enjoy a sport not many people get to experience. So in conclusion, I am in favor of plan A, to leave the management plan how it has been, and continue preserving the habitat the way we have been doing.