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Comments: Hello my name is Mark Sinnott. I am writing to express my opposition to the proposed alternatives C and D of the Chugach Forest Plan Revision. Many Alaskans have been using this area for so many generations and have been taught to respect the areas from generations before them. The motorized vehicles have been coming leaps and bounds and they are running cleaner with less environmental effect. Since CNIAF requires snowpack to cover the ground before snow machines can use it makes it seem like a personal bias against snow machines and their impact on the environment. Are bikes and hikers on the terrain before snow hits not causing environmental impact as well? I am an avid outdoorsman and hike bike hunt fish and ride motorized vehicles. I have personally enjoyed these areas myself several times and hope that you don't take away Alaskans right to enjoy the outdoors near them. With many new people who have just moved here I hope you don't take their arguement more strongly over people who have lived in Alaska for generations and have passed down love for it year after year. Snow machines are a part of the Alaskan lifestyle. .