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Comments:

The Plan must protect the wilderness character of the WSA, not just its "existing character." The Plan must also protect the wilderness character of the lands in the WSA by classifying all of them with the Forest Service's "Primitive" standard, the most protective standard in the agency's recreational classification system.

The Chugach NF must address ongoing illegal recreational use of chainsaws in the WSA, and any other destructive illegal activities.

Alternative D recommends the maximum amount of land for Wilderness. I support a modified Alternative D wilderness recommendation that also includes Lake Nellie Juan and the lands within the WSA boundary that were purchased for restoration of wilderness resources following the oil spill.