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Comments: How can the public make an adequate assessment of this proposal when there are no specifics as to what areas will be logged, and where other activities will take place?

I am concerned about how costly timber sales have been for the public, and how little benefit there has been in terms of jobs in SE Alaska.

In SE Alaska fishing and tourism are very critical economic forces, and we must make sure that they are not sacrificed. Small logging operations also belong in the Tongass, with value added by local milling and processing.