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Comments: I do not agree with this proposed change in policy. I fear it is driven by people that do not live in Alaska and is intended only to profit economically for corporations and persons not interested in the future of Alaska or the forest. DO NOT IMPLEMENT THIS POLICY CHANGE. The United States Department

of Agriculture (USDA) is proposing to

exempt the Tongass National Forest

from the 2001 Roadless Area

Conservation Rule, which prohibits tree

harvest and road construction/

reconstruction within inventoried

roadless areas with certain limited

exceptions. In addition, the proposed

rule would provide an administrative

procedure for correcting and modifying

inventoried roadless area boundaries on

the Chugach National Forest.

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