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Comments: Public Opinion: Alternative 1 is the ONLY acceptable option

As a citizen of the U.S., I STRONGLY OPPOSE any action to remove land from the 2001 Roadless Rule.

The first alternative is the only right choice.

The shrinking of protections for natural ecosystems is abhorrent. National parks and national forests are the gems of America, and should be preserved as they are, preferably even expanded upon.

The proposed change would be just another step in the wrong direction, valuing greed over common sense, and would do more irreparable damage to our already-changing planet. Old-growth forests are becoming rarer, but they are vital habitats and ecosystems. Bottom line: they should be protected, not exploited.

Alaska is one of the most beautiful states. Help keep it that way. Preserve the Tongass National Forest!!

From a concerned citizen-

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