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Comments: The Tongass has been a wilderness since way before modern man came upon it and simply by looking around you, no matter where you live, and you can see what we, modern humans, have done to our surroundings. Absolutely NOTHING GOOD can come from opening up Tongass to exploitation by humans. Our salmon are going, the bears are starving in certain areas of Alaska do to lack of salmon. We have been born into a beautiful planet that has evolved over millennia to be perfect at existing and humans have totally disrupted the ENTIRE PLANET AND IT'S ECOSYSTEM. Let us leave Tongass alone. You stand to gain only money. You cannot eat money nor can you enjoy viewing money in the distance. For the life of the people and the planet leave the Tongass alone. No cutting, no mining, no roads.

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