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Comments: Repealing the Roadless Rule in Tongass National Forest would cast aside years of collaboration with thriving local tourism and recreation economies that depend on healthy forests, and usher in a new era of reckless old-growth clear-cut logging that pollutes streams with sediment, hurts the salmon and deer populations, and irreparably harms subsistence hunters. This proposed plan is a complete about-face from the direction we should be headed and reflects the fact that special interests and not common sense are guiding this decision.

Please do not strip protection from one of the largest intact temperate forests in the world that is also one of our most effective tools to mitigate climate change for future generations.

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