| First name: Shula                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| Last name: Edelkind                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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| Comments: comment re the Tongass National Forest                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Sirs,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| I am against opening this forest to the logging industry. As a rain forest in the United States, it is important to leave it alone so it can help us restrain climate change, not to mention its own integrity.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| I have never seen this forest, and I would hate to visit one day and find it a sea of stumps and ruined land because of greed for trees. If you want trees, GROW TREES suitable for logging [hellip]. and leave this forest alone. I understand that the local population will not truly benefit, but rather will be injured, as will the inhabitants of the forest itself. Even the Indians who were there first want to safeguard this forest. |
| Leave it alone and let it remain a place of natural beauty. Get your trees and place your shopping centers somewhere else.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Shula Edelkind                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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