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I would like to comment on the proposed options for the alternatives to the Alaska Roadless Rule. I support Alternative 1 which takes no action and would leave all of Alaska under the 2001 Roadless Rule, including the Tongass National Forest.

I believe that we should keep most of Alaska pristine and unbroken by roads. The US does not need to exploit all natural areas. These areas are more valuable to our planet than the resources taken from it. The system as a whole is extremely valuable. Short term economic value is short-sighted. Once disturbed it will never be the same.

Thank you for this opportunity to voice my concerns.

"In the end, our society will be defined not only by what we create, but by what we refuse to destroy."

-John Sawhill (1936-2000), former president of the Nature Conservancy

Sincerely,

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