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Dear Interdisciplinary Team Leader Ken Tu,

Climate change doesn't affect me. Not right now. I'm not sure that the tunnels we built in the snow when we were kids were possible because there was so much snow, or because we were so small. In the last 30 years, living on the east coast, we rarely built those tunnels with our kids.

I am a skier, but don't feel I can speak for the world because I'm a skier. I'm writing because I know that climate change affects people around the world, whose lives have been changed because their environment has. I know that these changes are coming my way and I'm a fool if I pretend that because the changes don't affect me now, I can ignore the changes to others.

We need to protect the Tongass if not because it's beautiful, but because we are selfish and need to protect ourselves.

Sincerely,

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