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Comments: I am writing a comment on the Alaska Roadless Rule DEIS because I am concerned with how the Rule and the proposed full exemption will affect the Tongass National Forest and the Chugach National Forest.

PLEASE keep the forest ROAD-LESS. Please. I first discovered the natural rainforests of the Chugach and the Tongass in 1990. I've been concerned and watchful ever since. These sacred spaces made me think of what America must have looked like to Lewis and Clark. Old growth offers us a "Last Place" sanctuary, a chance to retain what America is and always was. Old growth cannot come back in our lifetime, or in the life times of our Great Great Great Great Grandchildren. Don't loose it. Please.

I urge the Forest Service to select Alternative 1, the no action alternative, for the final decision on the Alaska Roadless Rule.

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