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Comments: Hello,

I am not from Alaska, but I do live just south in Washington state. I just read an article about this rulemaking. As a young person who is deeply anxious about the future of our planet, the idea of opening the Tongass National Forest up to logging is deeply troubling and disturbing to me. There is absolutely no need to do this. We as citizens of the United States and of this one Earth should be planting trees, not cutting them down. Allowing logging will only damage the ecosystem, the wildlife, the lives of locals. Ruining years and years of established forestland can only do harm, not good. The selfish human need for "more, more, more" cannot be allowed here. Therefore I STRONGLY urge the U.S. Forest Service decision-makers to leave the Roadless Rule intact for the Tongass by selecting the "no action" alternative.

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