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Comments: I thought we won the Roadless Rule in the 1990's. But your boss is determined to destroy everything. I prefer to keep roadless protections for the Tongass National Forest. Alaskan Native communities have lived and endured that ecosystem long before the white man crossed the oceans. We have no right to destroy their way of life to profit a few.

I support the rainforests in this world, and believe they can save us from climate change. I favor clean water, healthy wildlife in a stable Southeast Alaska. Please keep the federal Roadless Rule intact and current protections in place.

The Roadless Rule preserves Americas best fish and wildlife habitat. It also saves money! Timber sales make no money, they COST money. The environmental value (clean water, air, carbon sequestration) of the Tongass is never considered, nor the financial strain of subsidizing large industries.

Regards, Alexa Ross

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