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U.S. Forest Service Alaska Roadless Rule Committee:

My family have camped in our NF, NP and State Parks and forest. We greatly value our resources and are sorrowed by the actions of powerful, selfish leaders who allow degradation of our resources for short term gain of the few at the expense of the many and the future.

The Roadless Rule has been instrumental in conserving the Tongass National Forest and in supporting its fish and wildlife-based industries for almost 20 years. Please uphold the Rule's protections for important fish and wildlife areas, including the Tongass 77. Roadless areas are an important source of food, jobs, and income through commercial, subsistence, and recreational fishing. Salmon are part of Alaska's culture and we must protect them and their spawning streams. Please do not roll back roadless area protections for habitat that our irreplaceable fish and wildlife populations need to survive.

Sincerely,

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