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Dear USDA Forest Service,

I am writing today to strongly voice my *opposition* [text underlined for emphasis] to exempting Tongass National Forest from the 2001 Roadless Rule. This effort is short-sighted, ignores the importance of this and other national lands in mitigating climate change, denigrates native peoples, and negatively impacts the Alaskan tourism industry. One of the reasons I love America is because of our massive and unique national lands. I am only in favor of Alternative 1, which "takes no action and would leave all of Alaska under the 2001 Roadless Rule, including the Tongass National Forest."

I urge you to not succumb to industry lobbying effects and money, and think of the impact of this decision in 100 years. Make the right decision for your children, and do not sell out our natural lands to the highest bidder as America so often does. Do not bring yet another shameful injustice into the history of our nation.

Sincerely,

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