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Dear President Trump & the U.S. Forest Service:

I oppose your plan to roll back the landmark Roadless Rule and allow logging companies to destroy pristine roadless areas in the Tongass National Forest.

The Tongass is America's largest national forest and the heart of the largest intact temperate rainforest left in the world. It is home to old growth trees and iconic wildlife, including brown bears, black bears, bald eagles, timber wolves, and all five species of Pacific salmon.

The Tongass is also the country's most important national forest for carbon sequestration and climate change mitigation. With parts of Alaska warming twice as fast as the rest of the planet, maintaining this critical ecosystem helps us tackle the urgent climate change crisis.

It is your responsibility to do everything you can to ensure this pristine national treasure is safeguarded for generations to come. Once it is gone, it is gone forever.

I urge you to reverse course and protect the Tongass National Forest from destructive roadbuilding and logging.

Thank you.