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Comments: I am an Alaska-born resident writing in support of the policy change that will allow the Forest Service to continue authorizing the renewal/reissuance of the special use permits for ANILCA cabins. My family has been part of a group that has been using an ANILCA cabin for multiple generations. I grew up eating deer meat that was harvested and fish that were caught from this area. Now, as an adult, my family continues to frequent this cabin, and we are raising our kids to also hunt and fish there. Hunting and fishing are an important part of our family and culture, and I hope that someday my kids will be able to take their kids to this area to hunt and fish as well. I believe that camping, subsistence hunting, and fishing can actually go hand in hand with wilderness preservation as we teach our kids to respect the land and animals that we hunt. We live in a beautiful place and I hope that my family can enjoy our favorite ANILCA cabin for many years after the current permit allows. Thank you for your time and consideration.