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Comments:

I support the federal purchase of 80,000 acres of state-owned school trust lands and 3,200 acres of county taxforfeited land inside the 1.1-million-acre Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness (BWCAW) in the Superior National Forest in Minnesota. This purchase does not violate the Wilderness Act and is better value for the Permanent School Fund. A land swap would not be good value for local residents.