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Comments: I fully support this land purchase instead of the previously proposed land exchange. A lot of effort and study has gone into this project and it is time to complete the purchase and protect the BWCA and the surrounding Superior National Forest in perpetuity. This sale should be finalized as quickly as possible now that all the "ducks are in a row" and all parties have agreed that this is in everyone's best interests.

My grandfather Wes Libbey was a friend of Sig Olson's and he along with Adolf Anderson and others in the Izaak Walton League helped establish the BWCA in the firsts place. He would be pleased with this solution after years of uncertainty.

This will provide money for the School Trust Fund, add public land to the Superior National forest and consolidate the USFS holdings in the BWCA-A big win for the public, the environment all parties involved.