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Comments:

I support keeping the Tongass Roadless Areas intact and roadless, including the Tongass 77 watersheds. The Tongass contains some of the last roadless old growth forest in the world and some of the best remaining fish and wildlife habitat in the world too. These public lands are worth far more economically, environmentally and culturally left in a natural state than logged once. The recreational tourism industry is a renewable and sustainable economic driver, old growth logging is not. We need to preserve the Tongass Roadless Areas and preserve valuable fish and wildlife habitat and recreational opportunities on public lands.