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Roadless Rule Exemption

To Whom It May Concern,

Why would we exempt the greatest temperate rainforest on earth from the 2001 Roadless Rule? It is the jewel in the crown of North America's splendor and beauty. It is all that remains of the great forests that once blanketed the Northwest. Please don't bow to political pressures, or cater to timber lobbies or other resource exploitation, protect the Tongass! Once gone, it cannot be replaced and the monetary compensation pales in comparison to the price we will pay by its loss. Please, protect the Tongass from the contamination of construction and exploitation.

Sincerely,

Mindy Roberts

former Alaskan resident

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