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AK roadless rule comments

Dear USDA / Forest Service-

I am writing to comment on the proposed changes to the Tongass National Forest 2001 Roadless Rule. In short, Option #6, the state's preferred option, is the least palatable option for me. This is a radical about face from our current management strategy and the least desirable alternative from my perspective. I desire a strong, preservation type approach to this area, and as little human development and related infrastructure as possible. Old growth rainforest such as this is highly valuable to me as a wilderness area, and as a carbon sink, and I feel it's vitally important to leave wild places alone.

My preferred rank order of options (most desirable at top)

1) Alternative #1

2) Alternative #2

3) Alternative #3

4) Alternative #4

5) Alternative #5

6) Alternative #6

Thank you for the chance to comment,

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