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Comments:

Given the low economic benefit to opening the region for logging, compared to the high value of our few remaining old growth forests. It is abundantly clear that the entirety of the Tongass should remain under the 2001 Roadless Rule. The logging industry has access to millions of acres of young growth forest that is already logged and developed to support it in the Pacific Northwest, opening further old growth forests merely damages ecosystems and the tourism economy with little apparent benefit.

Please do not open the Tongass to further logging and mining interests.

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