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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL

TRUSTEE COUNCIL

June 22, 1997

Mr. Eric Myers Director of Operations Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street, Suite 401 Anchorage AK 99501-3451

Dear Mr. Myers:

I am writing to thank you for the newsletter you sent to me in response. I am happy about the consistent efforts the council has been attempting. I have enclosed an article from my local paper about relative events. I wish to receive more of your newsletters if it is possible, as I am very environmentally conscious.

Respectfully yours,

Sherri Bercier

Enclosure: News article

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Oil, military, suburbs listed as threat to wilderness

Environmental advocates from the Wilderness Society put at the top of the nation's 10 most threatened wildlands the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in far northern Alaska, which oil companies have eyed for years as a source of petroleum. A proposal to drill for oil also put the Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument in Utah on the list. Such drilling must be approved by Congress.

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Environmentally sensitive lands in the United States face a range of threats, from oil drilling and military exercises to suburban sprawl, the Wilderness Society said in listing lands it considers the nation's 10 most threatened wild areas.

The environmental advocates put at the top of the list, released yesterday, the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in far northern Alaska, which oil companies have eyed for years as a source of petroleum. Congress would have to approve such drilling.

A proposal to drill for oil also put the Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument in Utah on the Wilderness Society's threatened list.

President Clinton designated the monument last year by blocking attempts to develop huge coal reserves. But Conoco, a subsidiary of Dupont, has plans for exploratory drilling within the monument under existing federal oil leases.

A proposed mine was cited as the reason the Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge, 400,000 acres of wooded marsh land in Georgia and Florida, made the list of threatened lands. The mine on 38,000 acres at the eastern border of the refuge poses an environmental threat, the group said.

In northern California and Oregon, the Klamath Basin National Wildlife Refuge made the list. The group said it is being threatened by widespread diversion of water, causing marshes at times to dry up, the group said.

"The Klamath Basin is trying to hang onto enough of its water to remain ecologically viable," the Wilderness Society said. The refuge features millions of geese, ducks and shore birds and the largest collection of bald eagles in the lower 48 states.

Expanded military flights and training activities are posing environmental threats to

refuge and environmentally sensitive areas in Arizona, Idaho and California, the wilderness group said.

It listed the Cabeza Prieta National Wildlife Refuge in Arizona as being threatened by a proposal to substantially increase military training flights from a nearby Air Force base and a Marine air station. This will threaten "the solitude and silence" of the refuge and would harm Sonoran pronghorn antelope, desert bighorn sheep and other wildlife, the group said.

The group said the Owythee Canyonland in Idaho will be damaged by a planned new Air Force electronic combat bombing range that will cause supersonic jets to crisscross the isolated region.

And more than 331,000 acres of southern California desert, being studied as possible wilderness area, faces a threat from Army plans to expand its tank warfare training facilities near Fort Irwin.

In upstate New York, urban sprawl was blamed for threatening parts of the Adirondack Park because of the proposed sale df 15,000 acres of the Whitney Estate, the park's largest family-owned estate. A 41-lot subdivision is planned on the estate.

Road-building through a patchwork of federal and private land in the Snoqualmie Pass region of Washington state is raising anxiety and put that region on the Wilderness Society's list. The roadless federal lands serve as "a habitat bridge" for an assortment of wildlife, the group said.

The Boundary Waters Canoe Wilderness area in Minnesota is threatened by renewed attempts to expand use of motorized vehicles, motorboats and snowmobiles, the Wilderness Society said.

I asking you to PLEASE Jusue land acquistion agreements with Good Gradam & the other Native corporation within the national parks in the spill Please help kept to land from being damaged. We once thought the earth's resources were unlimited love we are running out of LAND y resources. We have over well abused the earth. The Valde Ship Sunt alot I land + killed + that alot of anemalo. Beatrice B Bolesworth 1850 Dayton Ave San Leandro CA 94579-1550 EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL

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Epron Valdez Oil Spill Trustees 645 G St., Suite 401 anchorage, AK 99501-3451

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yours truly, R. Toly alrich



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May 27, 1997

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214 Ninth Street Hicksville, N.Y. 11801-5446

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees 645 G Street Anchorage, Alaska 99501-3451

Dear Sirs:

I am writing thank you for your recent actions to protect Kenai Fjords National Park from commercial development and to ask you to go one step further to ensure the future of the park.

Your recent decision to purchase the 30,200 acre inholding, owned by the English Bay Corporation, will ensure permanent protection for these seven irreplaceable parcels. The transfer of these tracts from private ownership to the National Park Service at no cost to the American taxpayer is a tremendous victory for the park, for wildlife conservation and the American people. These lands, though damaged by the Exxon Valdez oil spill, hold great promise for the restoration of pink salmon, marbled murrelets, sea otters, and other important species.

I urge you to take the next logical step and enter into negotiations to purchase the inholdings held by the Port Graham Corporation and other native corporations that own property within Alaska's national parks. This may be our last chance to save these national treasures.

Sincerely Yours

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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

James Conroy

May 25, 1997

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees 645 G St. Ste 401 Anchorage, AK 99501-3451



EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

Dear Sirs

This letter is to applaud you for your acquisition of the lands in Kenai Fjords and to ask that you pursue agreements with Port Graham and other native corporations within the spill zone so that these areas will benefit from the cleanup and other attentions that are available through the National Park Service.

As a lover of the environment and a traveler who hopes to go to Alaska this summer, I am keenly interested in the well being and restoration of this area just as I lobby for all of the national parks.

As an optimist, I trust you will do your best to procure these lands and help save the species in need.

Sincerely,

Michele Buster



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Vicki L. Scott R. Michael Engle 7158 Halibut Drive Nineveh, IN 46164

May 22, 1997

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees 645 G Street Suite 401 Anchorage, AK 99501-3451

Dear Sir:

We are writing to ask that you pursue land acquisition agreements with Port Graham and other Native corporations that own property with national parks in the spill zone.

We appreciate the outstanding work your group has done thus far by acquiring lands and restoring the natural resources damaged by the oil spill.

Thank You.

Sincerely,

Vicki L. Scott

May 21, 1997

I am writing to ask that you consider pursuing.

I and acquisition agreements with Port Graham and other Native conporations that own property within national parks in the spill zone. This is an opportunity to turn a bad situation into the Chance to put other things night. Thank you.

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Dear Trustees,

I am pleased to learn of the land acquisitions, conservation easements, and timber rights obtained in the Kenai Fjords in Alaska. I'm writing to you now to urge you to pursue land acquisition agreements with Port Graham and other Native Corporations that own property within national parks in the spill Zone. Keep up the good work!

Sua R. Mloure

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street, Suite 401 Anchorage, AK 99501-3451

May 19, 1997

Dear Trustees,

Jessica K. Tapp 3898 TROHER Road Gainesville, GA 30506

Congratulations on concluding the deal that transferred crucial lands within Kenai Fjords National Park to the National Park Service. Acquiring these parcels for Kenai Fjords will make the park and its resident wildlife much more secure in the coming years. I urge you to negotiate similar agreements with Port Graham and other corporations that own critical parcels within the spill damage zone.

Thank you for your time.

Jessica Tapp?

English Bay

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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

Frieda Hutchison

Ms. Frieda H. Hutchison 198 Stone House Rd 3 alkhasses, FL 32301

5-19-97 I hope you will continue to help protect Vous natural resource by with Post Graham and other native corporatione. your support of protecting natural resource will long be enjaged by many people for years to come. Thanke again four all you have done. Trucka Kutcheson 598 Stone Hause Rd Jally, Fl 32301



EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

May 19, 1997 95 Alexander Street Rochester, NY 14620-1142 (716)-546-3364 mpstull@theory.esm.rochester.edu

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees 645 G Street Suite 401 Anchorage, AK 99501-3451

Dear Trustees:

I wanted to write you a brief letter commending you for your purchases of lands, conservation easements, and timber rights in the lands affected by the past oil spill. As a citizen concerned about the environment and our national park system, I encourage you to continue to pursue land acquisition agreements with Port Graham and other Alaska Native corporations that own property within national parks in the spill zone. Our environmental efforts as a country to date have improved but they are just a drop in the bucket on the large scale. Thank you for your part in preserving America's land, water, and biodiversity.

Sincerely,

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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL



201 E. 79 St.-Apt.17C New York, N.Y. 10021-0844 March 30,1997

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees 645 G Street, Suite 401 Anchorage, AK 99501-3451

GReetings:

Please pursue land acquisition agreements with Port Graham and other Native corporations that own property within national parks in the spill zone.

This would be in acccord with your purchase of other privately owned lands to be transferred to the National Parks system, so that the natural resources can be preserved, just as though in English Bay.

Jours truly

Helen Mattin

Dean Trustees

Congratulations on the concluding the deal to buy some of the Kenai tjords. Its such a beautiful area, I wish it was all safe from development! Please try + make similar arangments to buy the area by Port Graham, to keep that area safe for all future alaskans of the rest of us in the lower 48 + nest of the world!

I was born + raised in Ak, + having traveled

Extensivly around the world-1 see few places
as beautiful + still virgin. Lets keep it that

way!!!

(Just wish we could get rid of Young, Stevens

+ Murkouski!!!)

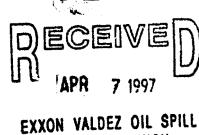
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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL 645 G STREET, SUITE 401 ANCHORAGE, AK 99501-3451



GENTLEMEN:

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TRUSTEE COUNCIL

I WOULD LIKE TO PERSONALLY THANK YOU FOR YOUR EFFORTS IN OBTAINING THE 30,000 ACRES WITHIN THE KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK FROM THE EBC. THE TRANSFER OF THIS LAND OWNERSHIP TO THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE IS A GREAT STEP TOWARD THE PRESERVATION OF OUR WILDLIFE IN THIS AREA. THANK YOU ALL!

EVEN THOUGH I HAVE NEVER BEEN TO ALASKA, AND I KNOW LITTLE ABOUT ALASKAN AFFAIRS, I DO BELIEVE IN DOING ALL WE CAN--EVERYWHERE--TO PROTECT OUR NATURAL ENVIRONMENTS AND WILDLIFE.

PLEASE CONTINUE EFFORTS IN NEGOTIATING SIMILAR AGREEMENTS (LIKE THE TRANSFER OF LAND OWNERSHIP DESCRIBED ABOVE) TO OBTAIN THE PORTION OF KENAI FJORDS NEAR THE TOWN OF PORT GRAHAM AND OTHER AREAS WHERE CORPORATIONS OWN PARCELS, WITHIN THE SPILL DAMAGE ZONE.

SINCERELY,

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P.S. I DO HOPE TO VISIT THIS GRAND AREA SOMEDAY! HAVE A NICE DAY.

IRENE ROSE PENKO



EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

April 3, 1997

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street, Suite 401 Anchorage, AK 99501-3451

Dear Council:

Congratulations on the purchase of 30,000 acres of Kenai Fjords coastland from EBC. That was an excellent move, a very great thing you did that will continue to be important through the next century.

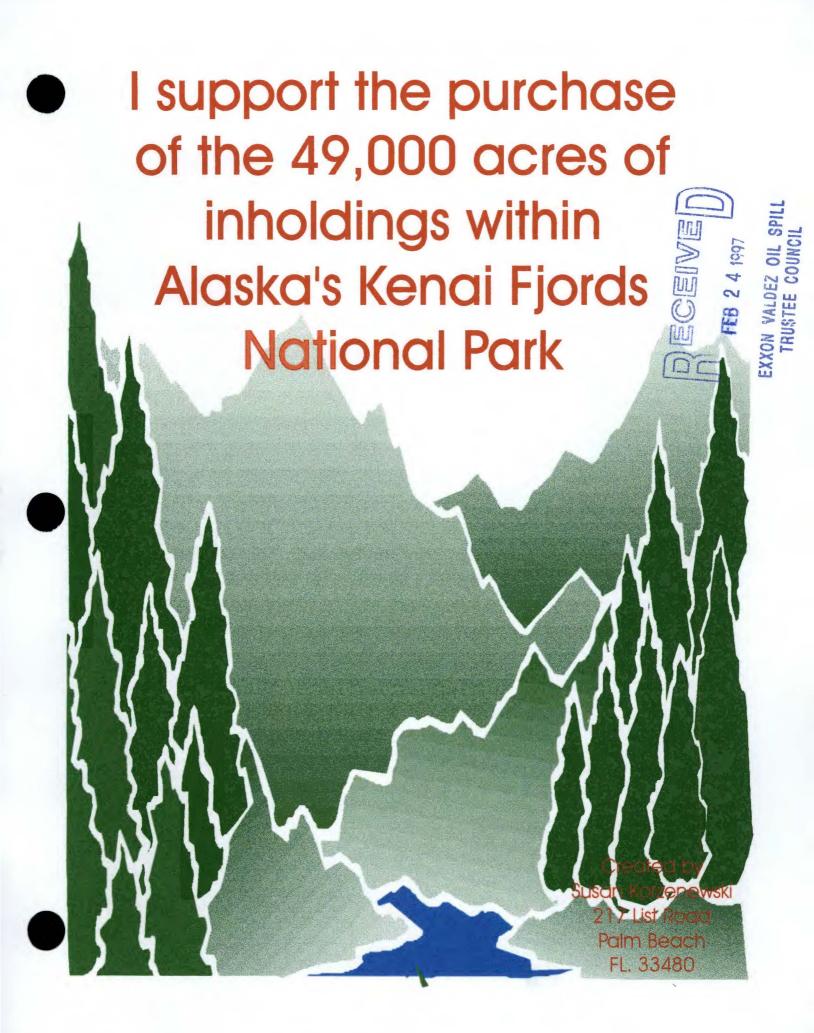
Now we need to purchase the other portion of Kenai Fjords on the opposite side of the park near Port Graham currently owned by another Native Alaskan corporation, in order to complete the park and preserve it from development. That portion is also within the spill zone and is eligible to be purchased with settlement funds.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Irene Rose Penko

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From: "Rachel M. Herrick"

Sent: Friday, February 21, 1997 9:29 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: EXPAND THE KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK

Members of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council:

As a concerned citizen and frequent visitor to Alaska, I am writing to express my support for the proposed purchase of 49,000 acres of holdings within the Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation.

I understand that the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council will decide whether or not to purchase these lands in the near future. I strongly encourage such a purchase. The English Bay Corporation wishes to sell these lands, and the National Park Service wants to add them to the national park.

Please do not let this opportunity to protect access to the coast, and wildlife, slip by.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

Rachel M. Herrick Harvard Law School '97 318 Beacon Street #2 Somerville, MA 02143

From: Ted Heisel

Sent: Friday, February 21, 1997 4:42 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park addition

Members of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council:

As someone greatly concerned about the preservation of our natural heritage, I urge you to purchase the 49,000 acres owned by the English Bay Corporation within the Kenai Fjords National Park.

I understand that the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council will decide whether or not to purchase these lands in the near future. I strongly encourage such a purchase. The English Bay Corporation wishes to sell these lands, and the National Park Service wants to add them to the national park.

Please do not let this opportunity to protect access to the coast, and wildlife, slip by. The preservation of such natural beauty will not be forgotten by future generations.

Yours truly, Ted Heisel 6014 Majestic Avenue Oakland, CA 94605

510.569.1016

From: annette cowart

Sent: Friday, February 21, 1997 8:31 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: <none>

To the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council, Regarding the proposed purchase of 49,000 acres of in holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park which is owned by the English Bay Corporation. If there is any chance to add these lands to The Park, please do so. I visited the park two years ago and would like to think people in the future would be able to see the grandeur I was able to witness. Please keep access to the coast and all wildlife protected. Sincerely,

Annette Cowart 36208 Lake Unity Nursery Road Fruitland Park, FL 34731

results@gate.net

From: John Maroney

Sent: Sunday, February 23, 1997 4:49 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Purchase of EBC holdings

Dear Trustees,

I write to encourage you to purchase the 49,000 acres of holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. The Park Service should add these lands to the Kenai Fjords National Park.

Please lend your support to this purchase and protect public access to the coast.

Thank you for your attention in this regard.

Sincerely, John Maroney 3912 NE 32nd Place Portland, Or. 97212

From: Ann Stock

Sent: Monday, February 24, 1997 9:47 AM

To: Rebecca Williams Subject: kenai fjord

Dear Rebecca,

We as sixth graders at Lace School in Darien, Illinois, strongly support your idea to add the 49,000 acres in the Kenai Fjords to the national park. We just studied about preserving wildlife habitats in science, and we feel it's extremely important.

Sincerily, Mrs.Stock's sixth grade class

From: Karen

Sent: Thursday, February 20, 1997 9:57 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: land acquisition for Kenai Fjords Nation

Original Subject:

land acquisition for Kenai Fjords National Park

Dear Members of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council:

I totally SUPPORT the purchase of the inholding owned by the English Bay Company within Kenai Fjords National Park. I hope you will too.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Karen Biesanz 37 W. Fourth Street Corning, NY 14830

From: Daniel Paul Coles

Sent: Wednesday, February 19, 1997 7:22 PM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Kenai Fjords

I am writing to say that I am for the purchase of the 49,000 acres in the Kenai Fjords of Alaska. I would also think there should be all access to the coast and that all wildlife should be protected.

Thank You for your time! Sincerely, Daniel P. Coles

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From: "Forman, Alex"

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 2:25 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Purchase of Land for Kenai Fjords

To Members of the EVOS Trustee Council:

I support plans to purchase 49,000 acres of land within Kenai Fjords National Park. I have visited this area and found it to be truly a national treasure. Please preserve access to the coast and protect the incredible wildlife. Thank you for you help.

Sincerely,

Alex Forman 11 Redwood Drive San Rafael, CA 94901

From: 'MARGARET_PENNINGTON@Non-HP-Sonoma-om2.om.hp.com'

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 3:27 PM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: EVOST Council

Item Subject: cc:Mail Text

To the EVOST Council: George Frampton Bruce Botelho Frank Rue Michelle Brown Phil Janik Steve Penneger

I am writing to express my support for the purchase of the 49,000 acres of in holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by English Bay Corporation.

I also urge you to insure that coast access and all wildlife in the region are protected.

Sincerely, Margaret Pennington

5730 McFarlane Rd. Sebastopol, CA 95472

From: 'LEVIN@MARY.FORDHAM.EDU' Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 4:02 PM

To: Rebecca Williams Subject: Land purchase

To whom it may concern,

As a concerned citizen and a frequent visitor to Alask's great natural lands, I am writing to you to support the plans for purchase of a 49,000 acre site within Kenai Fjords from the English Bay Corporation. It is vitally crucial that this land be added to the NPS and that access to the coast be available to all as well as maintaining maximal protection for ALL wildlife. Thank you for your consideration,

Ross Levin 17 Prospect Place Brooklyn, N.Y. 11217

From: 'PicP@aol.com'

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 7:09 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to request that the National Park Service be allowed to purchase 49000 acres of inholdings in Kenai National Park from the English Bay Corporation. We need more public lands! Thank you.

Michael Petelle

1481 Dallas Circle

Marietta, GA 30064

From: Rachel Shaw

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 8:54 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

I just wish to express my support for this proposed new park in Alaska! I think it's a great idea, and excellent compensation for the earlier destruction wrought by the catastrophic Exxon Valdez oil spill. I've been thinking idly for years about visiting Alaska, and if this park becomes reality, I will definitely have to turn daydreams into an actual visit!

sincerely,

~~Rachel D. Shaw rshaw@sdcc3.ucsd.edu

From: 'BoltonK@aol.com'

Sent: Saturday, February 15, 1997 9:03 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: I support the land purchase in Kenai Fjo

Original Subject:

I support the land purchase in Kenai Fjords

Dear EVOS Trustee Council:

I support the purchase of 49,000 acres of in holding in Kenai Fjords National Park from the English Bay Corporation.

This purchase would represent a permanent and beneficial legacy from the funds generated by the Exxon Valdez disaster.

Sincerely,

Bucky Green 2618 S Hayes Street Arlington, Virginia 22202 BoltonK@aol.com

From: SueDonna Doole

Sent: Saturday, February 15, 1997 2:51 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Land purchase kin Kenai Fjords National

Original Subject:

Land purchase kin Kenai Fjords National Park

To Whom It May Concern:

I strongly support the purchase from the English Bay Company of the land under discussion (some 49,000 acres) to be part of the Kenai Fjords National Park.
SueDonna Doolen
515 NW 21st Street
Corvallis, OR 97330

From: 'J_HOLMQUIST@RUMAC.UPR.CLU.EDU' Sent: Saturday, February 15, 1997 4:58 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: sale of Valdez holdings

I urge you to make these lands available to the National Park Service for future generations to enjoy. This opportunity should not be lost.

Jeff Holmquist, Lajas, Puerto Rico

From: 'WIINIKD@cliffy.polaroid.com'

Sent: Sunday, February 16, 1997 5:17 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Acqusition of Land for Kenai Fjords NP

I support the purchase of 49,000 acres of inholdings to be added to the Kenai Fjords National Park from the English Bay Corporation.

This will help to protect diverse wildlife and allow access to the coast.

Sincerely,

David Wiinikainen 114 Highland St S. Easton, MA 02375

From: Kurt Pluntke

Sent: Sunday, February 16, 1997 5:55 PM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: More park lands

Dear officials,

Please support the acquisition of 49,000 acres of holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. Additionally, access to the coast and wildlife protection is imperative for conservation.

Thank you,	
 Kurt Pluntke	
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From: Margarita Zamora

Sent: Monday, February 17, 1997 8:10 AM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Purchase

I strongly support the purchase of 49,000 acres owned by the English Bay Corporation to add to the Kenai Fjords National Park. Added access to the shore and the protection of wildlife can only be a good thing for Alaska and the nation.

Margarita Zamora Madison, WI

From: "Adolph B. Amster"

Sent: Monday, February 17, 1997 11:25 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenia Fjords acquisition

I write to register my enthiusiastic support for purchasing the English Bay lands for the Kenai Fjords NP. The park is one of my favorites with my wife and

myself visiting as often as circumstances permit

Thank You.

Adolph B. Amster P. O. Box 1106 Ridgecrest, CA 93556

Adolph B. Amster Internet: dolph@ridgecrest.ca.us

From: 'CWyatt1288@aol.com'

Sent: Tuesday, February 18, 1997 7:13 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: NEW ACQUISITION FOR KENAI FJORDS NATIONA

Original Subject:

NEW ACQUISITION FOR KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK

To Members of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council,
I strongly support the purchase of the 49,000 acres presently held by the
English Bay Corporation. The coastal access and all wildlife should be
preserved and protected for the future of this great land.
Claire A. Wyatt

From: Judy Kuechle

Sent: Tuesday, February 18, 1997 10:38 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park

I fully encourage and support the proposed purchase of the 49,000 acres of inholdings withing Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the Englis h Bay Corporation. This will be a fine addition to the Park. People such as myself want access to the coast and all the wildlife in the area protected.

Sincerely, Marcus Olson Box 185 Barrett, MN 56311

From: Carol Showman

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 3:03 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: ACQUISITION FOR KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PA

Original Subject:

ACQUISITION FOR KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK

I totally support the purchase of 49,000 acres of in holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. Access to the coast and all wildlife must be protected.

PLEASE help protect this land in the wonderful state of Alaska.

Thank you,

Carol Showman

From: Eugene Nathanson

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 2:58 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Purchase in Kenai Fjords

Yes, I support the purchase of 49,000 acres within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. Please add this land to the national park.

Eugene Nathanson 225 Broadway New York, NY 10007

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From: Elizabeth Coleman

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 10:46 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Re: Holdings purchase Subject:

To whom it may concern:
I support the purchase of the 49,000 acres of in holdings within
Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. This area should become part of the national park system. Access to the coast and all wildlife must be protected.

Sincerely Elizabeth Coleman

From: Gary Giewat

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 11:01 AM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Kenai Fjords

Hello Rebecca,

I am aware that the National Park Service has the chance to make an addition of some land in Alsaka. I support the purchase of 49,000 acres of holding within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. I am fortunate to have visited Alsaka once and I believe that the land would be a very valuable acquisition to the Park. Thanks.

Gary Giewat

Gary Giewat
Interdisciplinary PhD Program in Social Psychology
MS 296
University of Nevada
Reno, NV 89557
ggiewat@scs.unr.edu

From: Doug Dilts

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 11:52 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords Purchase

I am writing to urge you to approve the purchase of Native Corporation lands within Kenai Fjords National Park. These lands will provide valuable coastal habitat to the Park.

Once again, I urge you to approve this purchase. Thank you for considering my views.

Doug Dilts

From: Jeff Stein

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 12:53 PM

To: Rebecca Williams; 'president@whitehouse.gov'; 'vice.president@whitehouse.gov'

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

Mr. President, Mr. Vice President & the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council:

It has just come to my attention that the English Bay Corporation is eager to sell 49,000 acres of land holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park, and that the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council is considering purchase of these lands. I feel that incorporating these lands into the National Parks System would be a wise move, and I therefore support the purchase.

Alaska is one of America's greatest natural resource and it needs protection. Under the wise stewardship of our National Park System, this great resource will be shielded from development, misuse and severe damage. Whenever I hear of issues involving our environment and natural resources, I think of an adage repeated to me several times in my life (I believe it is originally from Native American Cultures): "We don't inherit the land from our parents, we borrow the land from our children."

I urge the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council to protect Alaska's great natural resources and purchase this land from the English Bay Corporation for incorporation into our National Parks System.

Jeffrey A. Stein Graduate Student in Natural Resources Ecology and Conservation Biology University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (217) 244-5052

From: Rachel Shaw

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 8:54 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

I just wish to express my support for this proposed new park in Alaska! I think it's a great idea, and excellent compensation for the earlier destruction wrought by the catastrophic Exxon Valdez oil spill. I've been thinking idly for years about visiting Alaska, and if this park becomes reality, I will definitely have to turn daydreams into an actual visit!

sincerely,

~~Rachel D. Shaw rshaw@sdcc3.ucsd.edu

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From: "Susan E. Shadle"

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 12:59 PM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: support purchase

Hello,

I would like to record my support of the purchase of 49,000 acres of holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation to be added to the national park.

Thank you,

Susan Shadle

Susan E. Shadle, Ph.D. e-mail: sshadle@quartz.idbsu.edu Department of Chemistry phone: (208)385-3153

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From: 'BISON1BOB@aol.com'
Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 1:16 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

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Subject: Addition to Kenai Fjords National Park

Dear Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Council Members-

PLEASE APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF 49,000 ACRES FROM THE ENGLISH BAY CORPORATION FOR ADDITION TO THE KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK.

BOB & DOE JOHNSTON P.O. BOX 50864 HENDERSON, NV 89016

From: Eugene Nathanson Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 2:58 PM

Rebecca Williams To:

Subject: Purchase in Kenai Fjords

Yes, I support the purchase of 49,000 acres within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. Please add this land to the national park.

Eugene Nathanson 225 Broadway New York, NY 10007

From: 'LEVIN@MARY.FORDHAM.EDU' Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 4:02 PM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Land purchase

To whom it may concern,

As a concerned citizen and a frequent visitor to Alask's great natural lands, I am writing to you to support the plans for purchase of a 49,000 acre site within Kenai Fjords from the English Bay Corporation. It is vitally crucial that this land be added to the NPS and that access to the coast be available to all as well as maintaining maximal protection for ALL wildlife. Thank you for your consideration,

Ross Levin 17 Prospect Place Brooklyn, N.Y. 11217

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Kachemak Heritage Land Trust

PO Box 2400 Homer, Alaska 99603 (907) 235-5263

Preserving for public benefit, lands with significant natural, recreational or cultural values by working with willing landowners.

My name is Barbara Seaman and I am the Executive Director of Kachemak Heritage Land Trust.

First — I'd like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank the Trustee Council for all of the positive and long-lasting efforts you've made to preserve and restore some of Alaska's most special places.

My primary purpose today in speaking to you is to encourage you to take advantage of a unique opportunity to protect exceptional intertidal habitats by considering and ultimately approving the purchase of some sensitive lands on the Homer Spit and in Beluga Slough. I believe that each of you has in your possession today an update and the core of an application package requesting acquisition of some very important lands in those two locations. Both the Spit and the Slough are well known as recreational areas, as well as providing unusually rich intertidal habitat to several spill-injured species. Although this proposal is new to the Small Parcel Program's plate. I'd like to ask you to keep it in mind as you assess future projects

I would also encourage approval of the purchase of English Say Corporation inholdings in Kenal Fjords National Park, and as always - hope you will continue in your efforts to reach a fair price for the purchase of Homer's wonderful Overlook Park.

In closing, I pass on best wishes to you from the members of Kachemak Heritage Land Trust. We commend you for your hard work!

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ALASKA CENTER for the ENVIRONMENT

519 West 8th Avenue, Suite 201 • Anchorage, Alaska 99501 (907) 274-3621 • fax: 274-8733

February 14, 1997

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Anchorage, AK 99501

Re: Proposed Kenai Fjords NP Inholdings Acquisition

Dear Trustees:

I hope this arrives in time for your consideration. I read this morning of the offer that you will be considering today to purchase 32,500 acres of English Bay Corporation inholdings to add to Kenai Fjords NP and a coastal wildlife refuge. We very strongly urge you to go forward with this offer and give a huge Valentine's Day gift not only to Alaskans but to all Americans. This is incredibly valuable land, formerly public, and acquiring it will return public access to key stretches of the coastline. We can think of no acquisition that you have considered that is more important than this one.

Sincerely,

Cliff Eames

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From: "Ruth Douglas Miller"

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 11:55 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords acquisition

As a Sierra Club member I've just received an alert to encourage you to go ahead with a purchase of 49,000 acres from the English Bay Corp, to add to KEnai Fjords National Park. This looks like a win-win situation to me and you should need no encouragement--please take this opportunity to expand protected areas of wild Alaska and preserve the coast, wildlife and habitat for all of us to enjoy.

Ruth DM

Ruth Douglas Miller, Assistant Professor Electrical and Computer Engineering, 261 Durland Hall Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS 66506-5105

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From: "Terri L. Tipping"

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 12:39 PM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Purchase

To: Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council

I'm writing to voice my support of the purchase of the 49,000 acres of in holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. It would be wonderful to add these to the National Park. This will help in assuring access to the coast and all wildlife will be protected.

Thank you.

Terri Tipping 3202 Champions Drive Wilmington, DE 19808

From: Vicki J Watson

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 9:52 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

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Attn: Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council

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I support purchase of the English Bay Corporation's holdings in Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. Please protect wildlife and coastal access in this area. Adding these lands to the park will allow some positive results to come from the Exxon Valdez tragedy.

Vicki Watson

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VICKI WATSON, PROFESSOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA, MISSOULA, MT 59812

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TO: The members of the **EVOS Trustee Council**: Phil Janik/Forest Service, Steve

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Rue/AK Dept. of Fish and Game, and Michelle Brown/AK Dept. of Environmental

Conservation

FAX:

(907) 276-7178

FROM:

David Schlich

SUBJECT: Support of Alaska Kenaij Fjords National Park purchase

I urge you to please take the appropriate action on Friday, February 14, 1997. It is the hope of all people that care about the earth that the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council will decide to purchase the 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. The Corporation wants to sell and the Park Service wants to add these lands to the national park, therefore it is all up to you.

This acquisition is critical to the integrity of this pristine and rugged national park. The remote coast of Kenai Pjords National Park is a wild country of glacier-carved valleys filled with ocean water, mountain goats, thousands of seabirds and marine mammals, waterfalls, and hanging glaciers. Private Native corporations own 60% of the coast, including nearly all the flat, accessible land. Kenai Fjords has grown into one of Alaska's most frequently visited national parks.

I personally wanted to give you encouragement in protecting the park.

I want access to the coast and all wildlife protected. I would like to be able to show these lands to my friends and children. I would like my children's children to have the opportunity to love the wilderness.

Please purchase and protect this land.

Sincerely,

David Schlich 483 Merion Road Merion, PA 19066

From: "V. Suzanne Drake"
Sent: Thursday, February 13, 1997 7:19 PM

Rebecca Williams Subject: Purchase of land

I strongly support the purchase of 49,000 acres of land in the Kenai Fjords National Park. Suzanne Drake Sebastopol CA

From: 'AndreaP742@aol.com'

Sent: Thursday, February 13, 1997 8:35 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Please purchase inholdings

Please purchase 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation and add them to the national park.

My husband and I look forward to visiting the park when we come to Alaska..

We want access to the coast and all wildlife protected.

Andrea Palmer, 338 Westland Drive, Frankfort KY 40601

From: Lance Dent

Sent: Thursday, February 13, 1997 10:10 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Support of Purchase for Kenai Fjords N.P.

Original Subject:

Support of Purchase for Kenai Fjords N.P.

To the members of the EVOS Trustee Council,

I support the purchase of the 49,000 acres within the Park that the English Bay Corp. want's to sell. I have recently had the pleasure of experiencing the unparalleled beauty of Alaska, and any land that has the opportunity to be preserved should be preserved to ensure that future generations can experience it as well.

Lance Dent 268 Scandia Cir. Athens, GA 30605

From: Really Crotalus

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 12:36 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords inholdings purchase

Dear Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council:

I wish to express my strong support for the use of Exxon Valdez funds to purchase private inholdings in Kenai Fjords National Park. Consolidation of public ownership in the park is vital to the sustained protection of wildlife habitat. Thank you!

Sincerely, D Crotalus, Chapel Hill, NC

From: Simerly

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 2:30 AM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Kenai Fjords

4958 Charmian Drive Santa Rosa, CA 95409

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Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council:
Phil Janik, USFS
Steve Pennoyer, NOAA
George Frampton, Interior Dept.
Bruce Botelho, Attorney General
Frank Rue, AK Dept. of Fish and Game
Michelle Brown, AK Dept. of Environmental Conservation

Dear EVOS Council:

We are writing to encourage you to decide in favor of allowing the purchase by the National Park Service of English Bay Corp's holdings within the Kenai Fjords NP. We want full protection for wildlife and public access to the coast.

Sincerely,

Bill and Lori Simerly simerly@sonic.net

From: 'Parke_H_John@wlgore.com'
Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 6:20 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: English Bay Corporation holdings

To Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council (Phil Janik/Forest Service, Steve Pennoyer/National

Oceanic Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), George Frampton/Interior Dept., Bruce Botelho/Attorney General, Frank Rue/AK Dept. of Fish and Game, and Michelle Brown/AK Dept. of Environmental Conservation)

I support the purchase of 49,000 acres of in holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the

English Bay Corporation. I believe all these environments and their wildlife should be protected.

From: Laura Nagel

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 7:04 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

I support the purchase of the English Bay Corporation's holdings within Kenai Fjords National Park, to be added to the National Park. I want access to the coast and all wildlife protected.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely, Laura Redish Pittsburgh, PA 15217

From: 14-Feb-1997 0821 -0700

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 7:22 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Cc: 'casperson@ssdevo.ENET.dec.com'

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From: 'FOUKE@CHECKOV.HM.UDAYTON.EDU'

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 7:38 AM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Kenae Fjords

EVOS Trustee Council,

I am writing to urge the purchase of the 49,000 acres withing Kenae Fjords held by the English Bay Corporation. Please act to protect wildlife by making this purchase.

Daniel Fouke Dept. of Philosophy U. of Dayton Dayton, OH

From: Bruce

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 7:43 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: "YES" to Kenai Fjords Purchase

TO: Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council:

Michelle Brown Phil Janik Steve Pennoyer Frank Rue George Frampton

Bruce Botelho FROM: Bruce Kube

RE: Purchase of the 49,000 acres within Kenai Fjords

I am contacting you to STRONGLY urge you to support this purchase of land from the English Bay Corporation. I actually traveled in Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park in 1982-84 and increased public access to this incredible area can only help preserve and protect it for future generations, as well as add protection for the native animals and vegetation there.

Thank you for your time, Bruce Kube 3739 East Clarendon Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85018-5120

From: "Belles, MW Mark 7739"

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 7:53 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: National Park Purchase

I would like to add my name to those supporting the purchase of lands from English Bay Corporation for the Kenai Fjords National Park. This is a rare opportunity to preserve this valuable land. Please do it!

Mark Belles 9318 Willard St. Rowlett, TX 75088

From: TJohnson

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 7:55 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

To whom it may concern.

I understand that the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council (EVOS) is considering the purchase of additional lands to increase the total land dedicated to Kenai Fjords National Park.

I am writing to you in support of the purchase. Wild lands in North America are becoming increasing rare, and I believe it is critical that we save wild land whenever possible before it is developed or fragmented.

Thank you for your time.

Thomas K Johnson

203-284-4109 tjohnson@saharanet.com

Sahara Networks, Inc.

From: Sam Rushforth

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 8:59 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Purchase of English Bay lands

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council:

I am writing to urge you to purchase the 49000 acres of land available from the English Bay Corporation. These lands should be added to Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. The Corporation wants to sell. The Park Service wants to add these lands to the park. Here is a classic win-win situation.

Samuel R. Rushfoth, Ph.D. Professional Ecologist 242 North 600 East Orem, Utah 84097

From: 'matrone@weare.ro.med.umich.edu' Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 8:59 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Alaska Kenai Fjords acreage

I strongly support the purchase of 49000 acres of English Bay Corporation holdings within Alaka Kenai Fjords National Park.

Gwynne Matrone

From: Jim Aberle

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 9:08 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: <none>

Dear Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council:

It is my understanding that the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council (EVOS) will soon decide whether or not to purchase 49,000 acres of in holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. Furthermore, it is my understanding that the Corporation wants to sell, and that the Park Service wants to add these lands to the national park.

I believe that it is in the best interest of all concerned that this land be purchased and added to the park. This purchase will help to protect a large tract of our valuable natural heritage for the enjoyment of all Americans.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

James T. Aberle 752 W. Oxford Dr. Tempe, AZ 85283-1768 aberle@asu.edu http://emelc1.eas.asu.edu/~aberle/

From: 'EmmaleeT@aol.com'

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 9:12 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Ford National Park

02-14-97 09:02 AM

Emmalee Bowers Tarry Nashua, NH

I strongly urge the purchase of the additional land to add to Kenai Ford National Park. I am a taxpayer and I am happy to pay taxes to support the enlargement and protection of our national parks.

I have yet to visit Kenai Fords, but plan to visit soon.

Emmalee Bowers Tarry

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305 Oak Hill Lane

Suite 300

Nashua, NH 03062

603 891 09831

EmmaleeT@aol.com

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One Harbor Place

Portsmouth, NH 03801

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Tarry@Platinum.com

From: Richard L Goldberg

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 9:30 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: support of land purchase

I would like to express my support for additional lands purchased for Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. I believe it is extremely important to preserve as much land as possible for our wilderness areas and national parks, so that they can be enjoyed by the native plants and animals as well as people who would like to visit.

Richard Goldberg 1329 Old Lystra Road Chapel Hill NC 27514

From: Janet Scott and Erik Forburger Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 9:53 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Purchase of Kenai Fords NP inholdings

745 S. 4th St. W. Missoula MT 59801

To: Members of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council

Dear Members:

I hope that you will elect to devote the necessary funds to the purchase of the 49,000 acres of English Bay Corp.'s inholdings within the Kenai Fjords National Park. This procurement would be a win-win situation, as English Bay wants to sell and the NPS wants to consolidate the park. Patchwork inholdings make parks vulnerable and can be far more costly to purchase in the future than they are now.

From: 'MilesAZ@aol.com'
Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 9:59 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Purchase the 49000 Acres

Please do purchase the 49000 acres of holdings belonging to the English Bay Corp. and add this land to the National Park system in Alaska....protect the wildlife and maintain access to the coast.

Thanks,

Miles Lundahl; 401 Upper Wood Wayi; Burnsville, MN 55337;

From: Chailos George

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 10:30 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: KENAI FJORDS NAT. PARK

I strongly support the purchase of the 49,000 acres within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park.

It is very important for the protection of the wildlife and additionally provides access to the coast.

Sincerely,

George Chailos University of Tennessee

From: 'Jswitz322@aol.com'

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 11:10 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: 49,000 acres -- YES!!!

I support the purchase of the 49,000 acres within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. It will be a valuable addition to the existing parks. Ecosystems and watersheds must be protected intace with contiguous lands. If we ever hope to guarantee the survivability of this planet, we must preserve its wild places and save the last bits of living earth left. it is a crime to let this land die. thank you.

josh switzky san francisco, ca

From: 'Empjdixon@aol.com'

Sent: Friday, February 14, 1997 11:28 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Please support purchase of English Bay C

Original Subject:

Please support purchase of English Bay Corp land

Please support purchase of the 49,000 acres that the English Bay Corp wants to sell and add these to the Kenai Fjords National Park.

James Dixon 2428 Redpine Ct Santa Rosa CA 95403

Eric Myers

From:

Oil Spill Public Info Ctr

To:

Eric Myers

Subject: Date:

Kenai Fjords National Park (fwd) Thursday, February 13, 1997 4:55PM

------- Forwarded message ---------- Date: Tue, 11 Feb 1997 19:30:29 -0900 From: Lori J. Landstrom <|j|@alaska.net>

To: ospic@muskox.alaska.edu Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

Dear Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees Council Members,
Please purchase the 49,000 acres from the English Bay
Corporation within Kenai Fjords National Park. These national treasures
need to be kept in public hands for all of us to experience. I live in
Soldotna and frequent Seward and have always loved the outer coast. It
is a truely wonderful spot on the Kenai Peninsula.

is a truely wonderful spot on the Kenai Peninsula.

If you have a willing seller and the price is right, than I urge you to buy back these inholdings and help to make Kenai Fjords National Park whole again. The wildlife, the habitat, and the archaeological/cultural value needs to be protected by the National Park Service.

Thank you for your efforts. Lori J. Landstrom PO Box 1354 Soldotna, AK 99669-1354

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"Giving Disability a Possibility Through Sports and Recreation"

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Anchorage, AK 99501

February 12, 1997

Dear Trustee Council,

Challenge Alaska is in support of the purchase of 49,000 acres of the inholding within the Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. With the park lands owned by the National Park, the park lands will be more accessible to persons that experience disabilities. The beaches, in many cases, are very accessible to persons using alternate forms of mobility. The small flat stones that are on many of the beaches are ideal surfaces for the use of wheelchairs while on sea kayak or other boating trips. If the English Bay Corporations were to log off, or close areas that are most accessible, it would significantly reduce the experience of a lifetime for persons that experience disabilities. Also with the cabins and other Park Service facilities in park lands, wheelchair accessibility can be achieved (as in the past cooperation between Challenge Alaska, Volunteers for Peace, and the Kenai Fjords National Park to make the Aialik Bay cabin wheelchair accessible).

Thank you for the opportunity to give public input on the behalf of hundreds of Americans that experience disabilities that will visit this area by sea kayak in the next ten years and distant future.

Recreationally Yours,

Jim Jamesen

Equipment Technology Coordinator





7.0. Box 164 • Girdwood, AK 98887

Jim Janesen • 783-BIKE (2453)

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G St. Anchorage, AK 99501 February 12, 1997

Dear Trustee Council,

We at Girdwood Ski and Cyclery support the purchase of the 49,000 acres of inholdings within the Kenai Fjords National Park from the English Bay Corporation. With the park lands under the jurisdiction of the Park service the beaches will remain accessible to persons wishing to go to shore while sea kayaking and boating. We intend to begin renting kayaks within the near future and this will be of benefit to us and all of our employees. I have enjoyed kayaking in these areas in the past but I hope to get many more trips out there in the future. I like the idea of the cultural endowment to preserve the culture and archaeological history of the area.

Thank you for the chance to give input.

Sincerely,

Jim Janssen

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From: 'J2Callie@aol.com'

Sent: Thursday, February 13, 1997 3:52 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Purchase for Kenai Fjords

EVOS Trustee Council:

I understand you will soon decide whether or not to purchase 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. The Corporation wants to sell. The Park Service wants to add these lands to the national park. I am writing in support of this purchase.

This acquisition is critical to the integrity of this pristine and rugged national park. The remote coast of Kenai Fjords National Park is a wild country of glacier-carved valleys filled with ocean water, mountain goats, thousands of seabirds and marine mammals, waterfalls, and hanging glaciers. Private Native corporations own 60% of the coast, including nearly all the flat, accessible land. Kenai Fjords has grown into one of Alaska's most frequently visited national parks.

I want access to the coast and all wildlife protected. We don't get second chances to protect wilderness for the future. The American public has shown how important environmental protection is in this last election. We're behind you.

Sincerely,

Callie Jordan 2345 State Rd Mosier OR 97040

From: Connie Economou

Sent: Thursday, February 13, 1997 8:54 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

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Original Subject:

I want to register my support of the proposed purchse of 49,000

of inholdings within Kenai Fjords National Park. This deal makes sense for the Park Service, the Native Corporation and our future. Thank you for youir attention to my point of view.

From: 'EHoenig@aol.com'
Sent: Wednesday, February 12, 1997 5:57 PM
To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Valdez Oil Spill

Please be sure the Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council provides access to the coast and protects wild life. Thank you.

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February 11, 1997

Molly McCammon, Executive Director Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees Council 645 G Street, Suite 401 Anchorage, Alaska 99501-3451

FXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

Dear Ms. McCammon:

The Cook Inlet Keeper is a nonprofit organization dedicated to protecting Cook Inlet water quality. I write now to support the efforts of the Kachemak Heritage Land Trust (KHLT), the City of Homer and the Trust for Public Land (TPL) to protect undeveloped parcels on the Homer Spit and in Beluga Slough.

The Homer Spit and Beluga Slough are exceptional resource areas which support myriad bird, plant and invertebrate life, and which provide residents and tourists with outstanding recreational opportunities. Recent commercial and residential development activities, however, have encroached on these special areas, and are now jeopardizing the wildlife and recreational values which are so important to this community. Accordingly, I urge the Trustees Council to support the acquisition of these parcels through its Small Parcel Program.

Thank you for your attention to this matter and please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Shavelson

Executive Director

cc: Phil Janik

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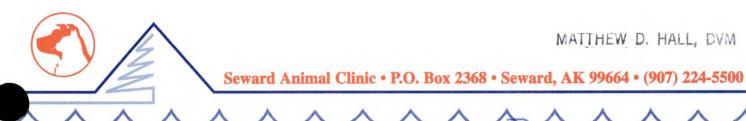
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From: Scott Brame

Sent: Wednesday, February 12, 1997 4:18 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

Dear Members of the Board,

I fully support acquisition of the inholdings of the English Bay Corporation within the Kenai Fjords National Park. This is critical habitat for mountain goats, seabirds and marine mammals. This aquisition would increase the integrity of Alaska's most frequently visited national park.

It is important to me personally that this acqisition be made. I want access to the coast and I want the wildlife protected. This land should be preserved in it's natural state and this is the best way to do so.

Thank you for considering my opinion.

for the preservation of our natural resources, scott brame 10320 highlands way mtn rest, sc 29634 864-718-0700

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From: Mark Freeland

Sent: Wednesday, February 12, 1997 3:25 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Land Purchase

Dear EVOS Trustee council,

I am writing to ask for your support in the purchase of 49,000 acres on the Kenai coast. These lands should be under the stewardship and protection of the National Park Service. The Kenai Peninsula is the summer home to many of the seabirds and marine mammals that I enjoy watching off the Washington coast in the winter. It is important to me that this pristine area be protected not only for the wildlife but so future generations can witness and enjoy this spectacular area.

Thank-you for your consideration,

Adele Freeland 5150 SW 326th PI Federal Way, WA 98023

76040.2662@compuserve.com

From: Emily E Pettycrew

Sent: Wednesday, February 12, 1997 9:38 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Fjords National Park

To the trustees of the EVOS council:

I strongly support the purchase of the 49,000 acres that are up for sale by the English Bay Corporation. I would like protection for the wildlife in that area and access to the coast. The land up there is beautiful and I would love to see the addition of this land on my next trip to Alaska. Thank you for your time and consideration. Sincerely,

Emily Pettycrew

From: EcoDude

Sent: Wednesday, February 12, 1997 12:22 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords Proposed Park Expansion

Attention Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council,

I would like to write to support your proposed purchase of the 49,000 acres of inholdings from the English Bay Corp. in the Kenai Fjords National Park. The entire park must be protected. As a person interested in environmental issues and as a tourist who will be traveling to the Kenai Fjords Park this summer, I strongly encourage you to protect its lands and coast.

Thank you -

Brian Ulm 353 Halle Drive Euclid, Ohio 44132

From: Paul Van Steenberghe

Sent: Wednesday, February 12, 1997 12:12 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: <none>

Dear Sir/Madam

I understand that the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council has an option to purchase 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. I think that this land should be purchased and added to the National Park. It would provide more access to the park from the coast and would help protect the wildlife found in the area. In general I think that many National Parks could be expanded for the public good and for the wildlife they contain. The purchase of the 49,000 acres would be a wonderful addition to our National Parks system.

Sincerely

Paul Van Steenberghe

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From: Oscar C. Huygens

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 9:57 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

Please help protect the integrity of Kenai Fjords National Park. Please decide in favor of the purchase of the 49,000 acres of inholdings within the park that are still owned by the English Bay Corporation.

This purchase is the only way to ensure that the wildlife and the scenery of the area remain forever protected.

Thank you.

Oscar C. Huygens Okada-Matsuoka 10-3 Matsumoto-shi, Nagano-ken T390-03 JAPAN

*** Oscar C. Huygens (oscarh@po.iijnet.or.jp) ***

From: Cheryll Blevins

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 8:56 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Purchase Kenai Fjords lands

Paul & Cheryll Blevins

P.O. Box 443

Mesilla, N.M. 88046

We would like to *encourage the purchase* of 49,000 acres of inholding land within AK's Kenai Fjords National Park. This would allow access to the coast and could help protect wildlife and habitat within the National Park. My brother worked for several years in S.E. Alaska; it's worth it.

Sincerely,

Paul & Cheryll Blevins

From: Andrew Jones

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 11:34 AM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Kenai Fjords

I am strongly in support of spending oil-spill money to purchase 49,000 acres of inholdings for the Kenai Fjords National Park.

Andrew Jones Tucson, Arizona

From: Xa Dwight Johnson IV

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 12:46 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: <none>

I am writing to express my most enthusiastic support for the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council's purchase of 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. This acquisition is critical to the integrity of this pristine and rugged national park.

I certainly hope the Council intends to do that which is clearly for the Good and makes the purchase of this invaluable land.

Respectfully,

X. Dwight Johnson IV
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Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 2:02 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

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EVOS Trustee Council 645 G Street Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Dear Council:

On Friday, February 14, 1997, you will decide whether or not to purchase 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. The Corporation wants to sell. The Park Service wants to add these lands to the national park.

This acquisition is critical to the integrity of this pristine and rugged national park. The remote coast of Kenai Fjords National Park is a wild country of glacier-carved valleys filled with ocean water, mountain goats, thousands of seabirds and marine mammals, waterfalls, and hanging glaciers. Private Native corporations own 60% of the coast, including nearly all the flat, accessible land. Kenai Fjords has grown into one of Alaska's most frequently visited national parks.

Our organization strongly supports this purchase because it allows access to the coast and it protects all wildlife within the park.

Sincerely,
Russ Moritz

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900 Upper Gold Creek
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From: Aaron Allen

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 12:12 AM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Purchase

To Whom It May Concern:

I whole-heartedly support the purchase of the 49,000 acres of holdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. It is important to me personally as a tourist of Alaska's wilderness lands. It is also important to me that the acerage of America's National Parks be increased and protected. Finally, it is imperative that costal access and wildlife protection be included in the purchase of the lands.

Thank you,

Aaron Allen New Orleans, LA

From: Tom and Norene Chase

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 5:44 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: New Aquisition for Kanai Fjords National

Original Subject:

New Aquisition for Kanai Fjords National Park

Thomas W. and Norene Chase 405 Castleton Circle Tallahassee, FI.32312 We are writing to you to ask for your support for the purchase of the 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fords National Park owned by the English Bay Corp. These lands will add much to this wild country of glacier carved valleys and the protection of mountain goats, seabirds and marine mammals and the ocean waters, waterfalls and hanging glaciers. To members of the EVOS Council Phil Janick/Forest Service, Steve Pennoyer/NOOA, George Frampton/Interior Dept., Bruce Botelho/Attorney General, Frank Rue/Dept.of Fish and Game, and Michelle brown/AK Dept.of Environmental Conservation.

From: 'Parke_H_John@wlgore.com'

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 6:23 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Cc: 'president@whitehouse.gov'; 'senator@sarbanes.senate.gov';

'senator@mikulski.senate.gov'

Subject: Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park

Attension: EVOS Trustee Council. (Phil Janik/Forest Service, Steve Pennoyer/NOAA, George Frampton/Interior Dept., Bruce Botelho/Attorney General, Frank Rue/AK Dept. of Fish and Game, and Michelle Brown/AK Dept. of Environmental Conservation)

Please purchase the 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. It is important to Americans to have access to the coast and have all the wildlife protected.

The Environment Counts.

From: Ron Bennett

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 1:07 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords Purchase

I am writing to urge the EVOS Trustee Council to support the purchase of 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. I believe it is vital to protect all available land in and around the park.

As one of Alaska's most frequently visited national parks, Kenai Fjords is a national treasure that should be protected and enhanced with every opportunity. Your vote this Friday is such an opportunity, I urge the Council to please agree to proceed with the purchase. Thank you.

-Ron Bennett, AIA

From: Anjali Athavale

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 1997 9:51 AM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Kenai Fjords National Park

We support the purchase of 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. We would like to see this land and its wildlife protected.

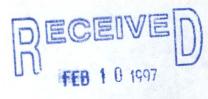
Thank You,

Anjali Athavale Neera Athavale Vinayak Athavale Eric and Mary Linscheid PO Box 316 Kodiak, AK 99615

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Suite 401 Anchorage, Alaska 99501-3451

January 31, 1997

Dear Trustees,



EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

Like many Alaskans, we relish the opportunities to enjoy the wildlife and outrageous scenery of our state. In our 10 years here in Kodiak, we have ventured numerous times to Long Island. Long Island is peaceful, abundant with wildlife and rich in history. During the season of long days, we often go for evening picnics on the beach and share bonfires with friends. Because of its proximity to the town of Kodiak, Long Island is easily and safely accessible to boaters and the lagoon provides a protected mooring.

We understand that Long Island is on a list of possible acquisitions by the E.V.O.S. Trustee Council, and could be purchased through monies from the settlement with Exxon for safeguarding wild lands from development. It would greatly disappoint many Kodiakans to see Long Island developed or logged by Lesnoi. We strongly encourage you to preserve Long Island's precious resources.

Sincerely,

Eric Linscheid

Mary Linscheid

From: Craig Fox

Sent: Monday, February 10, 1997 5:35 PM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Kenai purchase

Dear members of the EVOS trustee council,

I am writing to ask for your support of the purchase of Kenai Fjords land as protection for the integrity of the area and also access for visitors to this spectacular region. I have visited this area and feel that it is extremely important that you act on this opportunity.

Sincerely,

Craig Fox 1019 Riopelle Court Newbury Park, CA.

From: 'JaneyDean1@aol.com'

Sent: Monday, February 10, 1997 8:34 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Purchase of inholdings with Kenai Fjords

Original Subject:

Purchase of inholdings with Kenai Fjords Nat'l Park

To: EVOS Trustee Council:
Phil Janik/Forest Service,
Steve Pennoyer/NOAA,
George Frampton/Interior Dept.,
Bruce Botelho/Attorney General,
Frank Rue/AK Dept. of Fish and Game,
and Michelle Brown/AK Dept. of Environmental
Conservation)

I've read that on Friday, February 14, 1997, the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council will decide whether or not to purchase 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation. The Corporation wants to sell. The Park Service wants to add these lands to the national park.

This acquisition is critical to the integrity of this pristine and rugged national park. The remote coast of Kenai Fjords National Park is a wild country of glacier-carved valleys filled with ocean water, mountain goats, thousands of seabirds and marine mammals, waterfalls, and hanging glaciers. Private Native corporations own 60% of the coast, including nearly all the flat, accessible land. Kenai Fjords has grown into one of Alaska's most frequently visited national parks.

I support the purchase. This is extremely important it is to me personally. I want access to the coast and all wildlife protected.

Sincerely,

Janey Dean, Brooklyn, NY

From: "Rebecca =:>"

Sent: Monday, February 10, 1997 11:42 PM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Support the buy

I am writing in support of the sale of 49,000 acres of Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park. We need to work to save and protect such treasured lands when given such a chance.

Thanks you for the earth,

Rebecca Hicks

Eric Myers

From:

Oil Spill Public Info Ctr

To: Subject: Eric Myers Forwarded mail....

Date:

Monday, February 10, 1997 9:16AM

SUBJECT: SMALL PARCEL - KAP 1058/Long Island

Date: Sun, 9 Feb 1997 15:49:28 -0700

From: Jim or Stacey Street <street@rainbow.rmii.com>

To: ospic@muskox.alaska.edu

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Suite 401 Anchorage, Alaska 99501-3451 email: ospic@muskox.alaska.edu

February 9, 1997

Dear Trustees,

My wife, son, and I lived on Kodiak Island for eleven years and just recently moved to Colorado in order to be nearer to our other family members. I truly miss the unspoiled shores of the Kodiak archipelago. A friend of mine from Kodiak has informed me of the possibility of the procurement of Long Island by the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees Council. I wish to express full support of this endeavor.

Not being a power boat owner my trips to Long Island have been infrequent but everyone of them was very special indeed. Perhaps the infrequency added to the special atmosphere when we did get a chance to visit Long Island. The WWII bunker and other remains are an interesting study. These however do not compare to the ancient remains from Aleut dwellings that always reminded me of a different way of life that was in many ways more compatible with the earth than ours of today. The natural beauty of Long Island with the mature stands of Sitka spruce, sea lion haul outs, and surf washed beaches is unsurpassed anywhere in the world.

Having lived in the Bells Flats area of Kodiak my wife and I often rode our bikes past the head of Women's Bay where the trees taken from Cape Chiniak where piled before being shipped to Asian nations. Having flown over the Cape as well as Afognak Island I can only hope that Long Island does not suffer the same fate of clear cutting that these areas have.

I truly intend to return to Kodiak some day if for only a visit. With foresight and wise use of resources Long Island will still be intact as it is today. The Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees Council apparently has an opportunity to see that Long Island is preserved and I certainly encourage you to do so.

Sincerely,

Jim Street 2794 S. County Rd. 4.75 Alamosa, CO 81101 street@rmi.net

From: Joel Kuperberg

Sent: Monday, February 10, 1997 1:23 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: EVOSTC's Vote To Acquire 49,000 Acre, En

Original Subject:

EVOSTC's Vote To Acquire 49,000 Acre, English Bay Corp. Holding

To: Phil Janik, Steve Pennoyer, George Frampton, Bruce Botelho, Frank Rue, and Michelle Brown:

I write to urge that the Council vote "Yes" for acquision of this private inholding.

Having visited Kenai Fjords, as a professional botanist and also having been a public lands buyer since the mid-60s, I know full well what a "Sword of Damocles" such an inholding can be to ecological integrity.

I hope that you will vote to make this acquisition happen. Your approval would make a wonderful Valentine's Day present to the Park for future generations to see and marvel.

Joel Kuperberg Vashon Island, WA

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From: Dave Goldhammer

Sent: Monday, February 10, 1997 1:46 PM

To: Rebecca Williams
Cc: Dave Goldhammer

Subject: Kenai Fjords Inholdings

Dear EVOS Trustee Council members.

I recently read about the possibility of the purchase of 49,000 acres of inholdings within Kenai Fjords national park to add the land to the existing National Park.

I'm writing to express my wholehearted support for this purchase and for the inclusion of the land in the park. This past summer, I was able to live a long-time dream and drive to Alaska. While I only was able to see a small part of Kenai Fjords and Glacier Bay (by boat), they were two of the most amazing places I have ever seen in my life, if not the most amazing. I feel that anything we can do to help strengthen the protection that these parks have is a timeless benefit to us all. Despite the vast amount of Alaska coastline, precious little of it is protected. Kenai Fjords is a treasure and deserves to be kept that way.

Thanks for listening and considering my comments. Take care!

-Dave

Dave Goldhammer 2840 Dover Drive Boulder, CO 80303

From: Theo Hills

Sent: Monday, February 10, 1997 3:51 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Re: Land acquisition in Kenai Fjords Nat

Original Subject:

Re: Land acquisition in Kenai Fjords National Park (fwd)

----- Forwarded message ------

Date: Mon, 10 Feb 1997 15:46:40 -0500 (EST) From: Theo Hills chills@felix.geog.mcgill.ca

To: rebecca@oilspill.state.ak.us

Subject: Re: Land acquisition in Kenai Fjords National Park

TO PHIL JANIK, STEVE PENNOYER, GEORGE FRAMPTON, BRUCE BOTELHO, FRANK RUE, MICHELLE BROWN OF THE EVOS TRUSTEE COUNCIL:

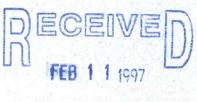
I want to encourage you all to purchase the 40,000 acres for sale by the English Bay Corp. to include in the territory of Kenai Fjords Nat. Park. The park area needs access to the coast; this should be protected from private ownership, and as well, wildlife in the area needs protection.

I may have a Canadian address, but I can assure you I am a good American citizen, concerned with saving wilderness and wildlife for us all today and for our children and their children.

Sarah Jane Hills, 35 de Bretagne, St. Lambert, QC J4S 1A3 Canada.

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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

Maranda Barrier Environmental Health Promoter

Box 1467

Seward, Ak. 99664

Ph. 907-224-3666 Fax 907-224-5874

Feb. 10, '97

Dear Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council Members;

I, Maranda Barrier support the purchase of 49,000 acres owned by Nanwalek(English Bay) to Kenai Fjords National Park.

I want our coastline not developed & saved for future generations to see & enjoy.

I am concerned for the safety of the wildlife since the Exxon Spill did so much long term damage to our coastline.

All seven villages of the Sound have a real need for archaeological & cultural programs. The more artifacts that we can save & display will help preserve our culture.

I have lived all my life here & hope my children will enjoy the Alaska coast as I have.

Sincerely,

Maranda Barrier E.H.P.

From: Mary E . Sheppard

Sent: Saturday, February 08, 1997 10:06 AM

To:

Rebecca Williams

Cc: 'geraldine.swormstedt@sfsierra.sierraclub.org'

Subject: Buy Kenai Fjords Lands

Dear Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council,

Friends had told me that a visit to the Kenai Fjords National Park was as lovely as, easier to reach and cheaper than a visit to Glacier Bay. I've only been to the Kenai Fjords on a spectacular boat excursion. It was truly lovely. The animals we saw were like a National Geographic TV Special. Next time I would like to take a kayak trip along the coast. Seeing wildlife in person is one of the greatest thrills of my Florida hiking, Yellowstone hiking and my trips to Alaska and Belize.

Do buy the addition and manage it for future generations to enjoy as wilderness with the potential of seeing wildlife undisturbed.

A well managed way for people to visit the coast without doing damage to the ecosystem is a necessity.

Sincerely, Mary Sheppard 3120 38th Ave. E. Bradenton, FL 34208 (941) 746-6563

From: 'shirley.taylor@sfsierra.sierraclub.org'
Sent: Saturday, February 08, 1997 12:41 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Cc: 'ed.wayburn@sfsierra.sierraclub.org'

Subject: Re: Kenai Fjords NP Inholdings Purchase

To EVOS Trustee Council Feb.8, 1997

From Shirley Taylor, 1414 Hilltop Drive, Tallahassee FL 32303

IN SUPPORT OF YOUR PURCHASING KENAI FJORD NATIONAL PARK INHOLDINGS

I urge you to vote Yes to purchase the forty thousand acres of inholdings in the park. Many of us in Florida feel a very personal interest and concern for maintaining wild habitats in Alaska in contrast to our overdeveloped state of

Florida. Including the Kenai Fjord coast within the National Park is especially

critical to wildlife thru protecting habitats --for both wildlife on land as well as in the sea. Purchase will guard against developments on inholding land -

activities that would surely compromise the wildlife value of the Park.

Do make this purchase and bring Kenai Fjords National Park to the full potential

so valuable to us southern folk who long to visit there.

From: Bob Hartman

Sent: Saturday, February 08, 1997 2:14 PM

To: Rebecca Williams

Subject: Acquistion of Lands in Kenai Fjords NP

I support the acquisition of 49,000 acres of inholdings within Alaska's Kenai Fjords National Park owned by the English Bay Corporation with funds the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council has available.

Kenai Fjords National Park (which I have visited on several kayaking trips) is one of the landmark parks in Alaska and the sensitive lands which this acquisition would put into park protection is critical.

As part of the acquisition I urge full access is protected and wildlife, game and non-game species, be fully protected from hunting, sport and non-native subsistence.

From: 'horizons@juno.com'

Sent: Saturday, February 08, 1997 8:52 AM

To: Rebecca Williams
Subject: Kenai Purchase

I am writing from Maine to ask for your support in the purchase of the 49,000 acres that would be added to the Kenai Fjords. This is an opportunity that rarely comes along. Having visited the area and hoping to go back again, I realize the benefit having this pristine areas added to the park will be. Access to the coast and wildlife protection will be a great addition. thankyou Joan Saxe

thankyou Joan Saxe 81 Spar Cove Rd. Freeport, ME 04032



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Friends of Cooper Landing

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL

Post Office Box 815 Cooper Landing, Alaska 99572

February 8, 1997

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Subject: Purchase of Kenai Fjords National Park Inholdings

Dear Trustees:

The Friends of Cooper Landing strongly endorse the use of Exxon Valdez Oil Spill funds for the purchase of 49,000 acres of inholdings owned by the English Bay Corporation, within the Kenai Fjords National Park. The integrity of the park's natural state is important to us for subjective as well as material reasons.

First, as individuals we highly value the natural state of the park and its diverse wildlife population. Further, the scenic qualities of the park are exceptionally high.

Second, this community understands very well that the greater degree the park remains accessible and in a natural state, the more attractive it is to tourists. The economy of Cooper Landing and the rest of the Kenai Peninsula is dependent upon tourism and will be reinforced by this purchase.

Please proceed with the acquisition of these inholdings.

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Sincerely,

Robert L. Baldwin

President



Northwest Setnetters Association

Box 870, Kodiak, Alaska 99615

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February 4, 1997

Dear Trustee COUNCIL

Our organization feels that it in thim to create an endowment for research in the affected area.

We are working on a letter of support for ion embrusent fund which will give you an idea of our thought on the subject. For the present we feel the endownent should be at least 100 million dollar — have a personent fund atwature shield allows spending only out of suterest after uffation proofing — that a governing bound control the fund which is different thou the trustee council — that research proposals be judge by year personal — and that the princing persons of the June is to June research in the spill area for affected species.

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From:

Oil Spill Public Info Ctr

To: Subject: Eric Myers Forwarded mail....

Date:

Thursday, February 06, 1997 8:41AM

SUBJECT: LARGE PARCEL PROGARM - ENGLISH BAY

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Date: Wed, 5 Feb 1997 14:18:03 -0900 (AKST) From: AWA (Scott Thomas) <coopland@alaska.net>

To: ospic@muskox.alaska.edu

To the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council,

I am writing to let you know that I support the purchase of 49,000 acres of inholdings within the Kenai Fjords National Park. I know that the National Park Service and the English Bay Corporation both want this sale to occur. Maintaining the integrity of Kenai Fjords National Park is important to many businesses on the Kenai Peninsula. The various forms of "ecotourism" are a sustainable and long-term source of economic stability for the area under the regulations set forth by the National Park Service. Maintaining access to the coast and the opportunity to view wildlife are critical to the businesses that operate within Kenai Fjords National Park.

The access to recreational opportuinites must be protected as well. If outdoor enthusiasts must pay fees and/or avoid land now owned by the English Bay Corporation, it will have a negative impact on the park. Tourism is vital to the Seward area and the Kenai Peninsula as well. I urge you to make the land purchase and support sustainable industries such as "ecotourism", and maintain the integrity of the park for all of its vistors.

Thank you,

Scott Thomas, Program Director Alaska Wildland Adventures P.O. Box 389 Girdwood, AK 99587

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From:

Oil Spill Public Info Ctr

To:

Eric Myers

Subject:

KFNP acquisition (fwd)

Date:

Tuesday, February 04, 1997 8:22AM

SUBJECT: English Bay Land Acquisition

Date: Mon, 3 Feb 1997 15:48:29 +0500

From: Chris Whittington-Evans <whitevan@alaska.net>

To: ospic@muskox.alaska.edu Subject: KFNP acquisition

Dear Trustee Council members,

As both a private and business user of areas in and around Kenai Fjords National Park, I support the acquisition by the Park Service of lands owned by English Bay Corporation. Having spent many weeks in the Park, guiding groups to see the amazing and varied life found there, the highest and best use of the area is as a protected wildlife park. Furthermore, being able to access beaches is important and increasingly limited. Acquiring these lands will ensure preservation as well as enhance visitor access to one of Alaska's best known and most important National Parks.

Thank you for going forward with the acquisition.

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From:

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Subject: Date:

Eric Myers
'Chris Whitington-Evans'
Molly McCammon
English Bay Land Purchase
Tuesday, February 04, 1997 12:54PM

Priority:

High

Dear Mr. Whitington-Evans: Thank you for your recent comment in regard to the English Bay land protection effort. I will be sure that each member of the Council receives a copy of your comment. Sincerely, Eric Myers, Director of Operations

From:

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Email: coopland@alaska.net

From:

To: Cc: Eric Myers Scott Thomas Molly McCammon

Subject: Date:

English Bay Lands Thursday, February 06, 1997 12:12PM

Priority:

Dear Mr. Thomas: Thank you for your recent e-mail in regard to the proposed purchase of English Bay Corporation Lands within Kenai Fjords National Park. Please know that your comments will be provided to each of the Trustee members. Again, thank you for providing your comments. Sincerely, Eric Myers, Director of Operations

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October 31, 1994

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 "G" Street Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Dear Council:

We operate eco-sensitive tours by kayak touring the Kenai Fjords. The presence of wilderness is extremely important to these tours.

Adventures & Delights Eco Tours is the only wholly eco-centric tour and instruction provider operating from Seward into the coastal areas of Kenai Fjords National Park. We utilize human powered craft and practice leave-no-trace outdoor procedures. We have been commended by the eco-tourism community for our outdoor practice and education. We provide outfitting, wilderness guides and logistical support for other tour operators seeking to enter the area with their clients. These companies also highly value wilderness for their clients.

If the wilderness impression of Kenai Fjords National Park is compromised our clients will not be interested in the area for wilderness touring.

Our economic value to the Seward community was approximately \$151,000 in 1994, up from 108,000.00 in 1993.

Loss of wilderness coastal areas in the Kenal Fjords National Park will have an immediate and severe impact on our company, on the City of Seward and on the tourist income of the State of Alaska.

Eco-tourist traffic is recovering from the negative publicity of the Exxon spill. If the coastal areas of Kenai Fjords National Park lose their wilderness appearance and feel we will be moving our guests to more remote areas.

I strongly urge you to deal with the threat to these coastal area and move to protect them by reinclusion within the National Park System through any means available to you.

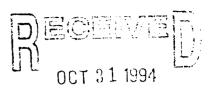
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October 26, 1994

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Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trusteeship Council 645 G Street Anchorage, AK 99501

Dear Sirs/Madams:

I would like to support the buy back of Native lands within Kenai Fjords National Park. These include some coastal areas between Aialik Bay and Nuka Bay that had been impacted by the Exxon Valdez oil spill. If these lands were placed under the National Park management, it would ensure the management integrity of the coast line for any restoration work needed or future monitoring.

The Kenai Fjords area offers relatively unique opportunities for studying vegetation colonization and development after disturbances – knowledge that could be useful in understanding potential responses to other disturbances or global change. I am a University of Alaska Fairbanks faculty member who has been working on vegetation colonization and succession in the Kenai Fjords area since 1991.

Sincerely,

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To Jim Ayers, Director of the Exon Valdez Oil Spill Council and its six trustees:

I'ld like to express my concern over the future of the Kenai Fjords National Park lands. As I understand it, there is a very real possibility that much of the Park is to be turned over to the Port Graham and Nanwalek Native Corporations as a result of the Native Claims Settlement Act of 1971. If this happens, these now protected lands would be open for development. This would not only alter the near pristine state they are in now, but could also threaten the marine life that is so closely connected to the Park. We already know the future of the sealions in southcentral Alaska is at risk. More boat and land traffic would not help bring back their numbers. The Exon Valdex oil spill weakened the fragile chain of life on the outer coast as well as some of the fjords. We must continue to protect and preserve these unique lands that so many marine species depend on.

Seward has witnessed Kenai Fjords National Park grow and develop as a positive addition to the health and economy of the people here. Many make their livelihoods from the visitors that come to enjoy the Park. And, the visitors leave with an experience that probably will never be duplicated. I count myself among the lucky ones to have experienced an overnight trip there. Watching a Minke whale swim just offshore of my camp and feeling the excitement as a huge bull sealion trailed

behind my kayak are images and feelings I will never forget.

Kenai Fjords National Park is everyones to enjoy and watch over. It must remain that way for future generations of people and sealife. I hope the Trustee Council sees it that way too and uses its financial resources to insure the future of the Park as we know and love it now.

Liz Poletti

a concerned Seward citizen

cc: The Seward Phoenix Log

John Mangiameli Anchorage, AK 99501

Jim Ayers and Trustee Council members Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Anchorage, AK 99501

Dear Mr. Ayers and Trustees:

Tomorrow you will be meeting to dedicate funds for habitat protection and other restoration projects. I believe this is an unparalleled opportunity to purchase timber rights, conservation easements, and land to protect areas that might otherwise be developed in a manner that would deal another blow to the populations of fish, wildlife, and birds that were devastated by the oil spill. I understand that you expect to act on Kodiak Refuge parcels. While these areas are very important, they are part of a larger, comprehensive program that will protect habitat across the spill area.

Please don't stop with these deals. Eyak Corporation and Chenega Corporation own hundreds acres of densely forested land that is prime habitat for fish and wildlife. Parcels on North Afognak and the coastline in Kenai Fjords are also vital parts of the puzzle. Please continue to pursue these deals.

John Mangiameli Anchorage, AK

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To: James Ayers, Executive Director
Exxon Valdez Settlement Trustee Council
625 G Street
Anchorage, AK
99501

Nov. 1, 1994

Sue Post Box 1075 Homer, AK 99603 235-6382

Dear Mr. Ayers:

I'm writing this letter to urge you and the Trustee Council to keep working for comprehensive, spill wide habitat protection packages which will include Chenega Lands, areas up for sale on Afognak Island and the Eyak parcels near Cordova.

I commend the great work you and the Trustees have already accomplished. Your foresight and stewardship means future generations of Alaskans will be able to enjoy the magnificence of Seal Bay and Kachemak Bays. Now you must dig in and consummate deals that will save Chenega's, Afognak's and Cordova's forests as well.

Thanks again for all your hard work so far but please remember, the job is far from done.

Sincerely,

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To The EVOS Trustees:

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Oct 26, 1994

Jim Ayers, Executive Director Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Anchorage, AK 99501 OCT 2 0 1994

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Dear Mr. Ayers and Trustees:

Residents of Kachemak Bay have long supported habitat acquisition as a vital way to restore the fish, wildlife, and bird populations that were devastated by the Exxon Valdez oil spill. Many areas that these same populations rely on today are threatened by clearcut logging and other industrial development.

Many residents of Homer and the surrounding areas worked for years to assure that private inholdings within Kachemak Bay State Park would be protected from logging. We sincerely appreciate the work of the Trustees to see that this important habitat was not lost. But, other areas are still threatened. We encourage the Trustees to act quickly and fairly to purchase land and timber rights in these areas. We are specifically concerned about habitat on northern Afognak Island, the vast forested bays and lowlands surrounding Cordova in Prince William Sound, and the coastal holdings within Kenai Fjords National Park.

This is a once in a life time opportunity to prevent an overwhelming loss of habitat. We look forward to seeing the strides made in acquisition deals that come out of the Trustee's November 2 meeting.

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To Jim Ayers 645 C. Street

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its waters (which, unfortundely, are not included in the part). Even before the EVOS the ecosystem was being stressed to the point that in a population survey "about half as

many See lairles and marine mammals were recorded in 1986 compared to the 1976 data. (A Re-Survey of Seabirds and Marine Mammals Along the South Coast of the Kenai Paningula, Alaska, During the Summer of 1986. Mike Nishimoto and Bud Rice).

the opportunity, and responsibility, to slow down or even halt the continued degradation of the part sits squarely on the shoulders of the EVOS Trustee Council. Through your actions alone does the Kanai Fjords National Part have a chance of surviving what is already a critical period in its existence. Increased private landholdings in the part would put a foot on the throat of an already damaged ecosystem, and it would destroy the very Floror that over 200,000 visitors to the part come to toste — wilderness.

I urge you, therefore, to fund the buybook of the projected native corporation land-holdings in the Kerai Fjords Natour Rark. It's not a choice, it's a must:

M.L. Britlain P x 1936 Seward, AK 99664 Sincerely. Mild I Bulla



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ALASKA REGIONAL OFFICE

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Anchorage, Alaska October 24, 1994

Dear Trustees:

In early November, as part of the Trustee Council's overall restoration effort, you will be considering the public acquisition of certain privately owned lands. On behalf of the National Parks and Conservation Association (NPCA), I urge you to dedicate funds for the acquisition of lands owned by Alaska Native corporations within the boundaries of Kenai Fjords National Park. With more than 450,000 members, NPCA is America's only private nonprofit citizen organization dedicated solely to protecting, preserving and enhancing the U.S. National Park System.

On June 5, 1993, NPCA wrote the Trustee Council and set forth some of the fundamental reasons why acquisition of Native owned lands within the park would be an appropriate and meaningful use of restoration dollars and a significant investment in a magnificent unit of the National Park System. Since that time, I have had the opportunity to work with local citizens and National Park Service personnel regarding planning efforts for the "front country" of the park. As I have become more familiar with the area's resources, land patterns and public uses, I am even more convinced that land acquisition is vitally important to the park's long term future - to the health of certain of its wildlife, to the wild and undeveloped character of its coastline, and to the enjoyment of millions of people who, over the years, will have the opportunity to experience these values in one of Alaska's most accessible national parks.

NPCA is extremely concerned that, despite the efforts of landowners and agency personnel, a final acquisition package may not be completed in time for consideration by the Trustees at the upcoming meeting. After so much effort and substantial progress, it would be tragic if the opportunity for acquisition of lands within the park were now lost. In the event that final land acquisition proposals are not ready for action, NPCA would strongly urge the Trustees to set aside an appropriate amount of funds to cover estimated acquisition costs. If continued delay is a serious concern, the Trustees might place a limit on the amount of time the monies would remain available. Land acquisition efforts are always extraordinarily difficult. Whatever the final result NPCA urges the Trustees to act now to preserve the window of opportunity in Kenai Fjords.

Sincerely

Chip Dennerlein

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Tufted Puffin (Lunda cirrhata) Photograph by John W. Warden

The Tufted Puffin is characterized by the down-curved yellowish tufts hanging behind the Feeding at sea, this pigeon-sized bird can most often be found perching on a sea cliff.





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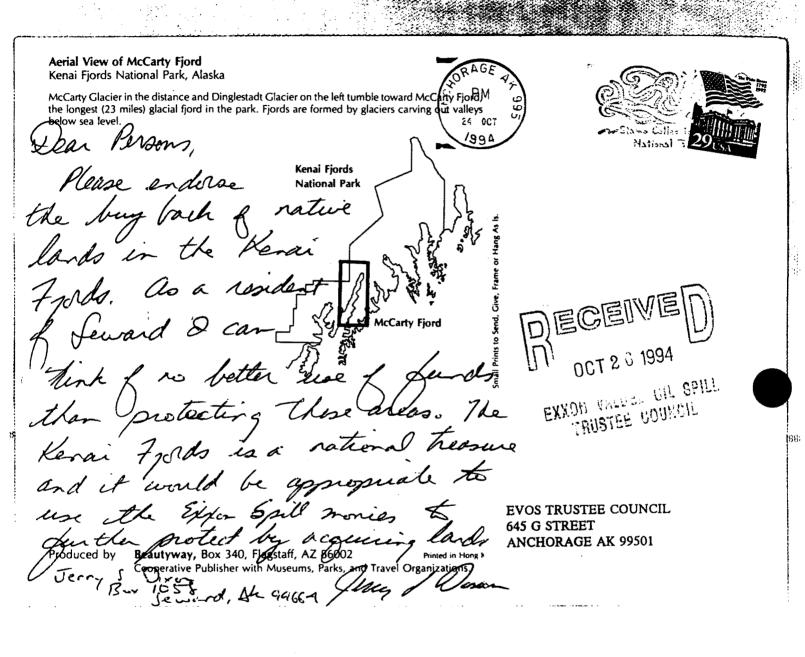
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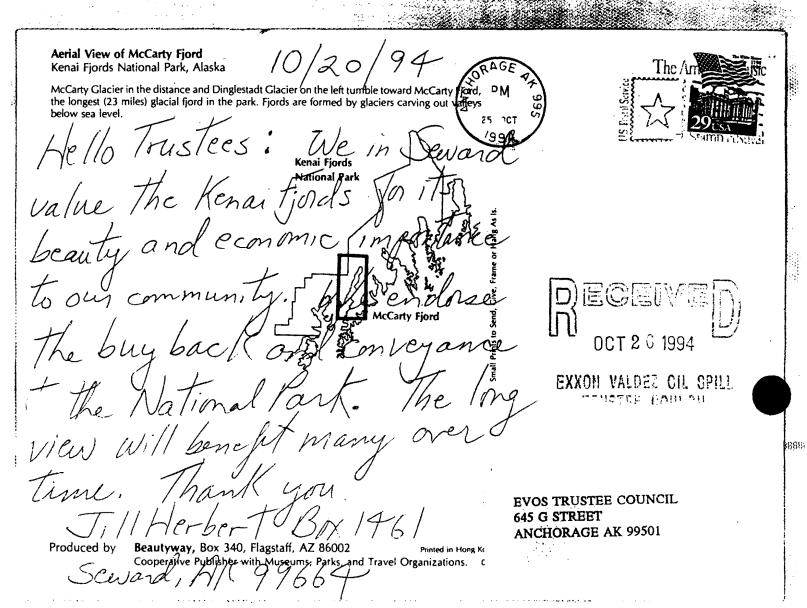
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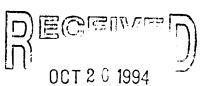
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Dear Council Members

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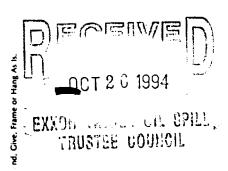
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Horned Puffin (Fratecula corniculata)

These pigeon-sized birds are found on sea cliffs and rocky or grass-covered islets and rocks where they feed from the nearby cold ocean waters.

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John Warden is a professional nature photographer based in Alaska. His award-winning photographs have appeared in over 100 magazines and textbooks worldwide.

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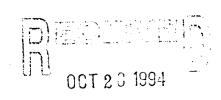
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Aerial View of McCarty Fjord Kenai Fjords National Park, Alaska The Am McCarty Glacier in the distance and Dinglestadt Glacier on the left tumble toward McCarty ford, the longest (23 miles) glacial fjord in the park. Fjords are formed by glaciers carving out below sea level. Dear Mr. Ayers and Trustee Kenai Fjords I have lived in Seward for 10 years, offand on, and permanently for the 6 of those. have watched the EXXON VALUE, OIL SPILL number of summer Wistors increase THISTER PROPERTY over the years and many of them come here to see the Park. I urge you to buy the coastal lands in question - if we lose these, we lose the heart of Kenai Fjords and a major tourist Mank you, Ann Chicadus 645 G STREET **ANCHORAGE AK 99501** Beautyway, Box 340, Flagstaff, AZ 86002 Produced by Cooperative Publisher with Museums, Parks, and Trayel Organizations. Seward, AK 99664





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October 27, 1994

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Anchorage, AK 99501

Dear Trustee Council:

Our organization, with over 150 members, is committed to boating interests in Alaska, particularly Resurrection Bay and Southcentral waters.

We are very concerned that the upcoming transfer of lands from Kenai Fjords National Park will negatively effect the public's access and enjoyment of the coastal waters of the southern Kenai Peninsula. It is distressing for recreational boaters to lose an area frequented for it's wilderness experience. We feel the park designation of this land represents it's best use, protecting this area for <u>all</u> to enjoy, not just a small group of people who might develop this area in a way that could ruin the wilderness experience.

We would like to see some of the restoration funds used to buy back this land. The land's original designation as National Park recognizes it's value to all persons and we would hope that the Council would give this land buy back a very high priority.

Sincerely,

∠Jeanne Walker

Secretary

Kenai Fjords Yacht Club

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Seward, Alaska 99664

Holgate Arm Kenai Fjords National Park, Alaska Photograph Courtesy National Park Service Holgate Arm, located on the west side of Aialik Bay, is a destination for visitors on one-day wildlife boat trips. This glacier, unpamed, is seen by visitors on the way to Holgate Glacier. 27 OCT EXXOR VILLE THE SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL Jim Kines P.O. BOX 375 **EVOS TRUSTEE COUNCIL** विस्तरमध्य Alaska Natural History Association Co-Producer 645 G STREET Schard, AK 9964 Post Office Box 1727 ANCHORAGE AK 99501 Seward, Alaska 99664 Beautyway, Box 340, Flagstaff, AZ 86002

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October 30, 1994 Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council 645 G Street Anchorage, AK 99501

Trustee Council,

I'm writing to the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Council to implore them to use the oil settlement funds to acquire threatened habitat from willing private landowners. The following list are priority habitat acquisitions that we would like to be seen set aside for future generations to enjoy:

- 1. The Port Gravina/ Orca Bay; The old growth forests of eastern Prince William Sound near Cordova provide exceptional habitat for spill-injured species and support high value wilderness recreation and tourism.
- 2. Port Fidalgo; On-going logging activities here threaten the densely forested habitat along sheltered bays near Valdez and Tatitlek.
- 3. Knight Island Passage; Rugged mountainous island with intimate bays support growing wilderness recreation/tourism use and provide habitat for spill impacted species such as killer whales, harbors seals, bald eagles and salmon.
- 4. Kenai Fjords National Park; One of Alaska's crown jewels, the hearty of this rugged coastline is threatened by logging and development on private lands within the park.
- 5. Port Chatham; This is the last stretch of intact forest habitat along the tip of the outer Kenai Peninsula coast.
- 6. Shuyak Straits; The Sitka spruce forest on northern Afognak is home to marbled murrelets, salmon, brown bear, elk and deer. The Shuyak Straits are a highly productive aquatic environment, a virtual "maritime interstate highway" for marine life.
- 7. Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge; Although logging poses no threat here, other proposed development activities would jeopardize prime brown bear habitat and other wildlife values.

The following people would like the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council to review the above listed areas to set aside using the Exxon settlement money. Thank you,

Kristine M. Vangstad

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Janie Taylor

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Moose (Alces alces)

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The largest deer in the world, moose are solitary in summer but may gather in small aroups to oct feed on willows and aquatic vegetation near streams and lakes.





We support designating dollars to purchase native selected lands in Kenai Jjords National Park. The Park is the driving force behind the growing tourism undustry in Seward. It's a 16 yr residents of Suvard we now seen the benefits of tourism economics. One of the most positive aspects is full employment of our young people - in good jobstrat

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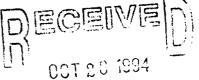
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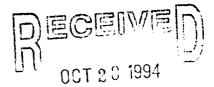
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Thank you.

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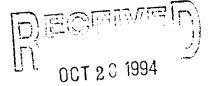


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I AM IN SUPPORT OF BUYING THE LAND IN KENAI FJORDS NATIONAL PARK FROM THE PORT GRAHAM AND NANWALEK VILLAGES.

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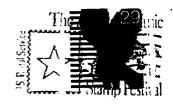
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John Warden is a professional nature photographer based in Alaska. His award-winning photographs have appeared in over 100 magazines and textbooks worldwide.

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Steller Sea Lions (Eumetopias jubatus)
Chiswell Islands, Alaska Marine National Wildlife Refuge,
near Kenai Fjords National Park, Alaska
Photograph by Marty Hoffman

The Steller Sea Lions occupy rocky shores and coastal waters along the Pacific Coast from Alaska Southern California. They eat a variety of fish, clams, and crabs, for which they will record miles from shore.



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Black Bear (Euarctos americanus)

Black Bears, while classed as carnivorous, are actually omnivores. They are found all overcanally Alaska, in the West down to northern California, in the Rocky Mountains, and throughout most of the East.

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Wildlife and scenic photographer Tim Black has photographed subjects from bighorn rams in Canada to orchids in Florida. His images have appeared in Outdoor America, American Forests, Sierra Club calendars, and game and fish publications. He teaches at photo workshops and now lives near Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

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Harding Icefield and the Gulf of Alaska Kenai Fjords National Park, Alaska Photograph by .© Susan Pfeiffenberger

One of only four remaining icefields in the US, the Harding Icefield crowns Kenai Frids National Park and is the source of over 35 named glaciers, many of which flow and cave into out the Gulf of Alaska. Together the glaciers and icefields cover over 700 square miles. The is later on mountain peaks emerging from the ice are known as nunataks, an Eskimo word which means "lonely peaks."

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Pederson Glacier Kenai Fjords National Park, Alaska Photograph by © Maria Gillett, NPS 10/27/94

Pederson Glacier and Pederson Lagoon are popular among kayakers in Kenai Fjords National Park's Aialik Bay. Fjords are formed as glaciers slowly retreat, carving steep-walled valleys which 31 OCT fill with ocean water. The large blocks of ice at the terminus of the glacier are called seraes 1994 which form as the glacier calves along crevasse systems.



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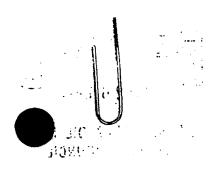
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Carolyn Swanson 5941 Camino Lane #5 Paradise, CA 95969

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The \$600 million from the settlement paid by Exxon that the Council controls can be utilized to permanently protect this unique and precious region along the Gulf of Alaska. Many of the Native-owned corporations that control inholdings scheduled for logging would prefer to sell the lands or timber rights for habitat protection, rather than see them logged.

I strongly urge you to spend ALL of the settlement funds to acquire the private lands within Chugach National Forest, Kenai Fjords National Park, Afognak Island, and Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge. Only in this way can the wildlife populations of the region recover.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Swanson

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Helen Faraday Young 716 N. June St. Los Angeles, CA 90038

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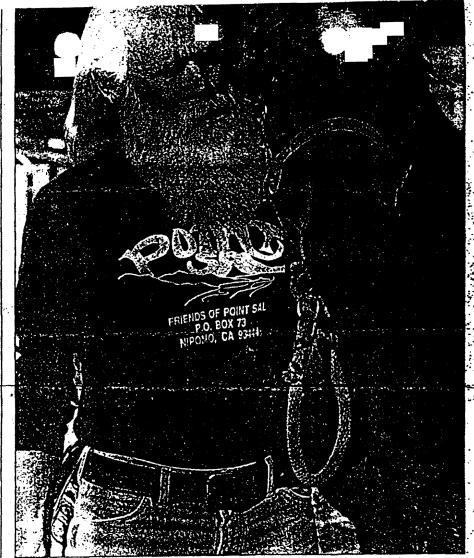
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Susan Goldman/limes

Bill Dennicen was awarded the Sierra Club's Oliver Kehrlein award.

Nipomo naturalist gains Sierra Club's highest honor

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wause of his busy It is schedule leading people through the wonders of the local environment that Denneen was awarded the Sierra Club's presugious Oliver Kehrlein award this year.

The could given to only one person in the nation each year, hore is people who consistently lear outings and educate the public chool the environment

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knowledge, announced at the neen said he was so busy that day - hiking, riding, or doing whatever he does - that he almost didn't go.

"It came the night of the meeting and I said. I don't know if I want to go, it's a long drive," Denneen said.

Felsman said Denneen is so active educating people about the environment that when he submitted Denneen's name for the award, he sent in a pile of papers a quarter-inch thick just describing Denneen's tours

Denneen entered the conservation movement 30 years ago when he helped form the San Rafael Wilderness He also spent 25 years sharing information about the environment as a biology and microbiology teacher at Hancock College

One of the biggest fights in Denneen's years of activism occurred during the 1960s when PG&F orisideres ande

ing a nuclear power plant on group's March meeting that the Nipon: Dunes near Oso Denneen won the award De Flaco Lake But, following a flurry of maticism from the public, PGa H built the plant at Diable Canyon instead.

Now, the Nature Conservancy manages the Oso Flaco area, and Denneen feels comfortable that it will be protected. So he has turned his attention to the Pismo State Vehicle Recreation Area.

He is founder and chairman of the Citizens for a Vehicle Free Dunes and often attends public hearings to urge the climination of vehicles from the dunes.

"When enough citizens realize this beautiful shoreline... is being run mer by vehicles and noise we'll get rid of them," Denneur stati

When his and lobbying to eliminate schicles, he plans to rally behind a proposal recently released by a National Forest task force to reduce vehicle trans or meat torests.

Shanti Shanti Kaur Khalsa P.O. Box 35882 Los Angeles, CA 90035

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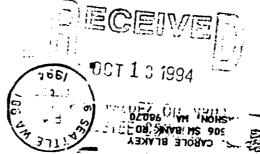
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The Exxon Valdez oil spill was a dreadful disaster that never should have happened and whose effects will be felt forever. I am concerned about these effects. Although I live in Florida, I care about what is going on worldwide. I recently read that you received settlement funds for the case. However, the fragile Alaskan ecosystem is deteriorating quickly and your funds could be useful.

The Chugach National Forest is being bought out by developers, miners and loggers at a rapid rate. The same is true for Kenai Fjords National Park, Afognak Island and the Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge. I am urging you to use a portion of the settlement funds to buy out the private land in these areas. This would reduce the mining and oil traffic in these areas that could cause another such spill.

Environmentalists, ecologists and scientists are facing a great problem these days...

funds. We are losing these funds to the government and national administrations. When funds appear, such as in this case, they must be used wisely. Why not use them to protect the very areas the spill damaged? This issue is of immense importance and needs to be addressed.

Awaiting your comments,

Sincerely,

Oliver Bernstein

Holgate Arm Kenai Fjords National Park, Alaska Photograph Courtesy National Park Service Holgate Arm, located on the west side of Aialik Bay, is a destination for visitors on one gay wildlife boat trips. This glacier, unnamed, is seen by visitors on the way to Holgate Glacier 19 1CT 1994 Please use the impries from the Oil Spill Restoration Juto pur OCT 2 0 1994 and see the Han im Kinnes **EVOS TRUSTEE COUNCIL** Alaska Natural History Association P.O. Box 375
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Aerial View of McCarty Fjord Kenai Fjords National Park, Alaska McCarty Glacier in the distance and Dinglestadt Glacier on the left tumble toward McCarty Flood, PM the longest (23 miles) glacial fjord in the park. Fjords are formed by glaciers carving out valleys below sea level. OCT 2 1 1994 EXXON VALDEZ CIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL **EVOS TRUSTEE COUNCIL** 645 G STREET ANCHORAGE AK 99501 Produced by L Beautyway, Box 340, Flagstaff, 2 8600 2000 Cooperative Publisher with Museums, Parks, and Travel Organizations. 002

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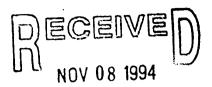
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2 November 1994

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Sincerely,

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