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Comments on the **Draft Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Restoration Plan:** _____

Figure S-1 does injustice to the extent of oiling that occurred in the Kodiak & Chignik Management Area. For example ADFG ~~the~~ document oiling in every Kodiak bay w/ exception of Olga Bay on the south end of Kodiak Is (Barnett & Horkewitz 1989). Further, Chignik was oil to the entrance of Chignik Lagoon.

Comments on the **Draft Environmental Impact Statement:** _____

Name: Bruce Barrett Date: 5 July 94

Address: ADFG - Kodiak

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Name	Affiliation	Phone	Address
NICK RUSSO	ENVIRONMENT CANADA (BRITISH COLUMBIA)	604-666-6864	ON THE MAILING LIST

Date of initial

contact with EVOS:

7/13/94

Talked to:

ROD KUHN

Comments:

HAD QUESTIONS ABOUT WHAT HE WAS SUPPOSED TO DO WITH THE DEIS.

COMMENTED ON PURCHASING OF STATE PARK LANDS.

HE THOUGHT THE EVOS T.C. WAS BUYING LAND

FROM THE STATE INSTEAD OF FROM PRIVATE.

ROD CLARIFIED THIS FOR HIM.

→ SUPPORTS BUYING LAND/RIGHTS TO PROTECT FROM LOGGING.

→ SUPPORTS RESEARCH. IT IS IMPORTANT TO LEARN FROM EVOS TO BE PREPARED TO HANDLE SIMILAR EVENTS IN THE FUTURE

FEELS EIS IS PRETTY COMPREHENSIVE IN ITS ANALYSIS.

WANTS ALL TECHNICAL DOCUMENTS.

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Name	Affiliation	Phone	Address
Cathy Smith		235-5448	1193 Cooper Creek Homer, AK 99603

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contact with EVOS:

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Talked to:

Karen Klinge

Comments:

- Against putting the majority of the funds into a "General Account" that is easily accessible.
- She wants to see specific allocations of the funds with the majority towards Habitat Acquisition and restoration of the injured populations of Fish and wildlife. Also supports research.
- She strongly opposes projects like the Sealife Center (IMs) or Ferry terminal projects because they do little to restore the injuries.

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1420 G St.
Anchorage, AK 99501
July 12, 1994

EVOS Trustee Council
645 G St.
Anchorage, AK 99501
Attn: DEIS Comments

Dear Sir/Madam;

After looking through the recently-released draft plan, I cannot help but be surprised that a relatively small amount of the settlement will go to protect habitat. There are many acres along Prince William Sound that are threatened--Kenai Fjords National Park, the river valleys inside Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge, the forests on Afognak Island, and elsewhere. These areas need to be preserved through the acquisition of private parcels.

To that end, I urge that the Habitat Protection budget be increased to at least \$500 million and the General Restoration budget be cut. Please push for several large acquisitions instead of a larger number of minor acquisitions. Of particular importance are those areas mentioned above.

Thank you for your consideration of these comments.

Sincerely,



Frank Norris

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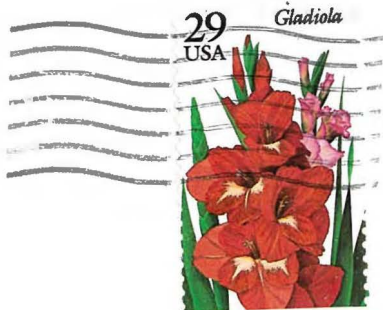
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July 13, 1994

EVOS Trustee Council
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Re: Comments on the Restoration Plan Draft Environmental
Impact Statement

To Whom It May Concern:

I urge you to increase the proportion of the settlement proceeds which will go towards habitat acquisition and protection. At least \$500 million of the civil settlement should be dedicated to this purpose. In particular, I direct your attention to the coastline of the Kenai Fjords National Park, the river valleys inside Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge, the spruce forests of Afognak Island, and the coastline of Prince William Sound, including Eyak Corporation lands in the east and Chenega Corporation lands and Knight Island in the west.

Monies for habitat protection should be given priority over monies currently proposed for "general restoration." Using the settlement funds to acquire habitat is the best way to restore wildlife populations injured by the oil spill.

Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

LAW OFFICE OF GLENN E. CRAVEZ, INC.


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cc: Governor Walter J. Hickel
Alaska Center for the Environment

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July 10, 1994

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RE: Allocation of the \$900 million Exxon settlement.

Dear EVOS Trustee Council:

I am writing to ask that you dramatically increase the amount of money you plan to spend on habitat protection. I understand the draft plan calls for about \$300 million but I would like to see at least \$500 million spent for large acquisitions of land or the timber rights of that land.

I'm opposed to spending large amounts of money subsidizing fish hatcheries, mariculture developments and studies.

Sincerely,



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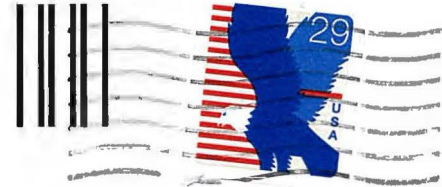
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Dear Sirs;

I recently received an unsolicited form letter from the Alaska Center for the environment exhorting me to "save" Alaska's rain forest by writing to your organization to lobby for placing more private property into bureaucratic hands.

This letter is to express my complete opposition to their position. We already have entirely too much property in this state under some sort of government control.

I was born and raised in Cordova and spent the first half of my life commercial fishing on Prince William Sound, I believe this background gives me a much better perspective on these issues than the California based, Sierra Club backed organizations such as the Alaska Center for the Environment.

The Sound will be much better served by targeted scientific studies of the resources, and General Restoration projects that includes public education, instead of further mindless lockups of our land.



Larry Johnson
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cc Gov. Walter J Hickel
Alaska Center for the Environment

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Ruth Sheridan
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To: The Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustees
and Gov. Walter J. Hickel

Dear Trustees:

I'm concerned because an insufficient proportion of the Exxon Valdez settlement money will be used to protect fish and wildlife habitat. I understand that in your draft plan only one-third of the fund will be used to protect fish and wildlife habitat.

That's not nearly enough, especially when you propose to spend \$200 to \$300 million on additional studies of the area. Instead of encouraging clear-cut logging and other development that destroys habitat for the fish and wildlife species injured in the oil spill, the money would be better used to purchase larger tracts of land surrounding the Kenai Fjords National Park, Chenega lands, Knight Island, Eyak lands, Afognak Island and the Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge.

I strongly urge you to revise the draft plan so that it will strengthen habitat protection to at least \$500 million and support large land acquisitions in our beautiful parks.

Sincerely,

Ruth Sheridan

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cc. Hon. Walter J. Hickel
State Capitol

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RE: Restoration Plan Draft Environmental
Studies Impact Statement

Gentlemen:

As a concerned Alaskan, I wish to heartily urge the Council & Trustees to strengthen the "Habitat Protection" budget to a minimum of \$500 million dollars, to avoid overbudgeting for "General Restoration" and instead, support large acquisitions of land, not small parcels surrounded by clear cuts - in a word, to exercise its position and power to protect and conserve Kenai Fjords National Park, the Chenaqua lands, Knight Island, Eyak lands, Afognak Island and Kodiak Nat'l Wildlife Refuge, which are irreplaceable treasures of the earth, and of Alaska -

Yours sincerely,

Carol R. Lee

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EUOS Trustee Council,

I have heard that money is being
spent to buy Alaskan rain Forests.
In my opinion this state already has far
too many lands in the public sector. I
also believe that public sector lands are less
conducive to proper management and resource
development. I hope that no more of our
resources get locked up with this oil spill
money.

Sincerely,

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C.C. Governor

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To the Council:

I am writing to comment on the draft Plan for spending settlement money on wildlife restoration, wilderness protection and natural resources injured by the oil spill. The draft plans fails to make the best use of this money to protect and help the ecosystem damaged by the oil spill to recover.

In my opinion the draft plan does not dedicate enough of the available money to habitat protection in the areas effected by the oil spill. Expand the 'Habitat Protection' budget to at least \$500 million. This money should be used to buy-back **large** portions of intact wildlife habitat in areas like Kenai Fiords National Park, Chenega lands, Knight Island, Eyak lands, Afognak Island and the Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge.

Little parcels of land surrounded by clearcuts are of little habitat value and should be a low priority in determining which parcels will be protected. Large tracts of intact lands with a healthy ecosystem intact are going to be vital in restoring the effected areas and should be given top priority in the selection process.

Money for the 'Habitat Protection' budget can be obtained by reducing the money for 'General Restoration' and studies earmarked in the draft plan. In my opinion, general restoration and monies for studies are being misspent and will do little to counter the devastating effect the oil spill has had on the ecosystem in the affected areas. It is only through protection of the ecosystem from more devastation by clearcutting and development that the oil spill effects can be countered and the area allowed to recover.

I urge you to put most of the money available into 'Habitat Protection' and spend it wisely to protect large tracts of high value habitat from exploitation. This is the intent of the settlement monies obtained from Exxon and it is the best use of these monies to ensure long-term economic and ecosystem health of the Prince William Sound and Kodiak Area lands effected by the spill.

Thank You,



Jim Rehfeldt
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AS IT HAS GONE SO FAR, THE PRUDENT COUNCIL SEEMS TO BE ACCOMPLISHING VERY LITTLE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE REGION UNFORTUNATELY SCARED. PLEASE SHOW SOME GOOD SENSE AND MAKE THE LAND ACQUISITIONS NOW (CHENEGA LANDS, KNIGHT ISLAND, EYAK LANDS, AFOGNAK ISLAND AND THE KODIAK NAT. WILD. REFUGE). THE STATE BUREAUCRACY WILL CATCH UP AND PROPERLY SHEPARD THESE AREAS.

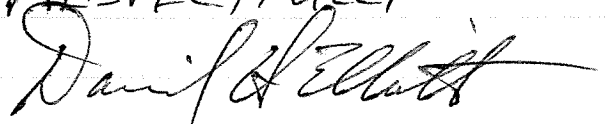
STOP THESE ERRONEOUS GENERAL RESTORATION PROJECTS THAT MAKE SO LITTLE PRACTICAL SENSE.

AS FOR HABITAT PROTECTION, \$500 MILLION IS A DROP IN THE BUCKET BUT ITS A GOOD START.

I KNOW YOU ARE ALL GOOD PEOPLE WITH LOFTY IDEALS I'M SURE, BUT UNLESS YOU MOVE ON THESE ISSUES, YOUR LEGACY MIGHT BE OF OPPURTUNITY LOST.

COPY TO GOV. HICKEL

RESPECTFULLY



DAVID H. ELLIOTT

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Dear Trustees:

I am writing to express my concern over the Restoration Plan Draft Environmental Impact Statement.

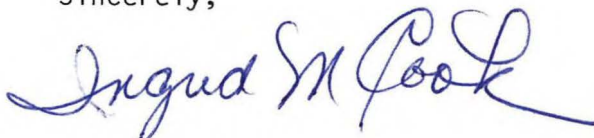
I would encourage the Trustees to increase the amount of the settlement that goes directly toward habitat protection.

Use money to purchase large tracts of land so whole environmental habitats can be preserved. Decrease the monies that go for continued scientific studies and general restoration.

By purchasing land fish can swim in clean rivers, wild life will have the space they need, and the beauty of Alaska will be appreciated by later generations.

I thank you for all the time and effort you have given to helping correct the tragedy of the Exxon Valdez oil spill.

Sincerely,



Ingrid M. Cook

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THE TRUSTEE COUNCIL FOR THE EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE TRUSTEE COUNCIL
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Leslie M. [Illegible]

David L & Ingrid M Cook
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Jim Johnson
1025 H Street
Anchorage, AK
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Dear Trustees:

I am writing to you to comment on the EVOS Draft Environmental Impact Statement that was recently released for public review. Since the DEIS will help provide the framework by which the remaining civil settlement money will be spent, I would like to urge the Trustee Council to allocate a majority of the remaining funds for habitat acquisition.

Habitat acquisition is the highest and best use of the settlement money, which by law is to be used to restore or acquire the equivalent resources of those damaged by the spill.

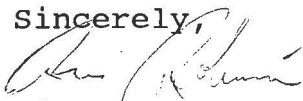
Areas of Prince William Sound and the Kenai Peninsula, along with privately owned parcels on Afognak and Kodiak Islands are now threatened by clearcut logging and commercial development. We must use the remaining spill money to permanently protect these irreplaceable wilderness areas. By preserving critical habitat, the Trustees will not only protect salmon streams, calving grounds and denning sites, they will also ensure that those who make their living from the ocean and forest will have a stable, sustainable, economic future.

I complement the Trustees for the Kachemak Bay and Seal Bay purchases, without their foresight these areas would have been destroyed by clearcutting. But the expenditure of \$50 million for these two areas must only be the beginning. Many other areas within the spill area are under the same threat once posed to Seal and Kachemak Bays. The Trustee Council must earmark \$500 million of remaining spill money for the purchase of other large parcels that are currently at risk.

Please refuse to dole out money for narrowly focused scientific studies and porkbarrell make work projects. Habitat acquisition is the most equitable and effective way to use the remaining funds.

Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,



Jim Johnson
Anchorage

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(EVOS Trustee Council) ^{ES}_D July 15, 1994
To whom it may concern,

I am writing concerning saving the plants & animals in the Alaskan Rainforest. Clear cut logging & other development in this area destroys habitat for the same fish & wildlife species that were injured in the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill. Most of these animal populations haven't had time to recover from the spill. I am asking you to strengthen the "Habitat Protection" budget to at least \$500 million and to slash the budget for "General Restoration" boondoggles when you are figuring out how to spend Exxon's \$. I am also asking you to support large land acquisitions, not small parcels surrounded by clearcuts. I would also like the following beautiful & important wildlife areas to be saved: Kenai Fjords National Park, Chena lands, Knight Island, ^{NE} Eyak lands, Afognak Island, and Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge. Thank you for saving Kachemak Bay State Park & Seal Bay (Afognak State Park).



Sincerely,
Shawnda Wilde

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GENTLEMEN:

PLEASE, IMPROVE THE
"HABITAT PROTECTION" BUDGET
TO AT LEAST 500 MILLION
= FURTHER I WOULD LIKE THAT
YOU!

1. SLASH "GENERAL
RESTORATION" BONDHOODS.
2. BY ALL MEANS SAVE
THE KENAI FORDS NAT. PARK.
3. SUPPORT LAND
ACQUISITIONS

THANK YOU

Gracely
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EVOS Trustee Council:

There are several issues that I would like to address. First of all, I would like to see you strengthen the Habitat Protection budget to at least five hundred million. Secondly, be very careful with general restoration funding. Please concentrate on protecting large areas such as the Kenai Fjords National Park, Chenega lands, Knight Island, Eyak Lands, Afognak Island and the Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge.

Sincerely yours,

Bill Mousette

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Dear Friends,

There is still alot of money from the Valdez oil spill to be spent and I don't want to see it spent on anything as vague as "General Restoration".

We need Forest and Habitat protection. For instance, there are the Eyak Corp lands and the Chenega Corp lands and Knight Island that need to be bought. In fact, all of Prince William Sound is at risk, and preserving the Alaska Rainforest from further depredation you will be restoring and preserving wildlife habitat as well as our last remaining unlogged temperate rainforest.

All this I beg of you. It may be a last chance. And it is all within your powers. Please be aware of your powers and do not fail us.

Concerned citizen



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RE: Restoration Plan Draft Environmental Impact Statement

I am writing to encourage the Trustee Council to increase the habitat protection budget. Now is the time to acquire land along the Western Gulf Coast for recreation, tourism and fishing. If only a third of the settlement money goes for habitat acquisition, much critical land will be lost to clear-cut logging and private development. This would be a tragedy for Alaskan Natives who depend on the land for subsistence and for all groups who value experiencing this pristine wilderness.

I urge you to increase the habitat protection budget to at least \$500 million so that this great land will be preserved for future generations to enjoy.

Sincerely,



Diane Sallee

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Dear Council:

Please, please use the Exxon settlement funds to buy and protect wildlife habitat in Alaska. Only $\frac{1}{3}$ rd of the settlement, as described in your draft plan, will be spent on protecting habitat. This is not enough to protect hundreds of thousands of threatened acres. You are putting Kenai Fjords Nat'l Park, river valleys inside Kodiak Nat'l Wildlife Refuge, the

spruce forests of Afognak [2.
Island, and the coast of
Prince William Sound at risk!
The neglected areas include
Eyak Corporation lands in
the east and Chenega Corp.
lands and Knight Island
in the west.

You have spent too much
on attorneys' fees and too
much on scientific studies.
You have spent only 50 million
on habitat preservation.
Use Exxon settlement funds
to buy & protect wildlife
habitat. We're all watching.
M. Ruth Niwander
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Dear People —

Re: Restoration Plan —

- Need much more put into habitat acquisition. It is the only thing that will make a difference.
 - Eliminate the Seward "Whale Tail". It's a ridiculous waste.
 - Establish an endowment for biological studies so we know what's
- (over)

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actually happening, set
baseline for the future.

Emphasis of acquisition
should be Chenega lands/
Knight Island and Eyak
lands. The rest are
largely boondoggle, or at
least much lower priority.
Buy largest holdings possible.

Focus of "damaged species"
much too narrow, need to
expand scope of concern.

Do not waste \$ on small
general restoration / make
work projects.

Do support studies so we
will know what is there
come the next spill.

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From:

Erick N. Carpenter
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I would like to address the Council on the issue of how oil spill settlement monies are being spent. I have no political stake or any environmental extremist views in how the money is to be spent. However, I do remember that the original idea was to **RESTORE** lands that were injured by the spill. I know how difficult your job must be with every Environmentalist raising hell on one side, and every Politician's hand out on the other. I can honestly say that I don't think that I would want your job. Well, on to my two cents worth...

I would really like to see that lands that are to be clear cut be bought and set aside for Parks or pulled into National Parks. I have seen, first hand, the results of logging in areas near Cordova, and the results are horrendous. I honestly believe that due to the intense rainfall and the steepness of the land, that it will be a very long time before those lands recover from that particular logging practice. I guess that it would not bother me near as much if the logs were staying here in the U.S. instead of going to Japan. Or if it were not subsidized. I don't understand how a business continually needs a government subsidy to stay open, if you can't survive on the open market, you should close down. Just common sense. I would like to see studies done on the sound, but do so with extreme scrutiny, even researchers go overboard with their costs.

If you would like more information on how to have lands purchased at a fair market value and placed into Federal Wildlife Refuges, please contact Bob Rice at U.S. Fish & Wildlife (Division of Realty) 1011 E. Tudor Road Anchorage Alaska, 99503. 786-3440.

I could go on for pages, but for what it is worth, remember this much, the idea, from what I have gathered, is to **restore the injured resources**. Focus on that, if you can, and hopefully it will be a little easier to reach your decisions.

Thank You for your time,

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Dear Sirs:

Using Exxon settlement funds to buy and protect wildlife habitat is the best way to restore wildlife populations injured by the oil spill. Recommend that at least \$500 million be devoted to habitat purchase, i.e., rainforest.

Sincerely,

Wesley E. Shelberg

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Dear Sir:

Using Exxon settlement funds to have
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restoration, i.e., reforestation.

Sincerely,

Wesley E. Hill

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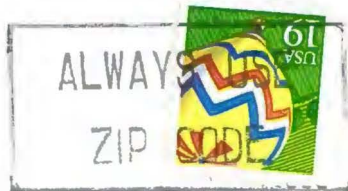
Dear EVOS Trustee Council,

Please consider strengthening the "Habitat Protection" Budget. I support reducing the budget for General Restoration and acquisitions of larger parcels of land. It is important to support the biodiversity of our Alaskan Coastal Rainforest. Your support would be appreciated.

Sincerely Annice Ronsse
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July 15, 1994

Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council
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RE: Restoration Plan Draft Environmental Impact Statement

To Whom It May Concern:

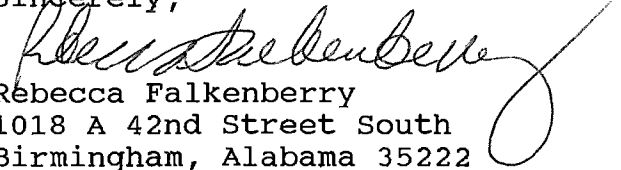
I am very concerned about Alaska's coastal forest between Ketchikan to Kodiak. I consider it to be the last great temperate rainforest on earth. I am concerned about the way that the Exxon settlement funds are being used. I strongly believe that they should be used to buy and protect wildlife habitat. This would be the best way to restore wildlife populations injured by the oil spill.

Please consider the following actions:

- *strengthen the "Habitat Protection" budget to at least \$500 million
- *slash the budget, removing any "General Restoration" boondoggles
- *support large acquisitions, not puny parcels surrounded by existing or proposed clearcuts
- *save the areas most unique: Kenai Fjords National Park, Chenega lands, Knight Island, Eyak lands, Afognak Island, and Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge.

Thank you for your attention to my concerns. You are charged with the on-going protection of one of the most beautiful places on earth. Let's keep it that way for current and future generations.

Sincerely,


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