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**[EXTERNAL] drilling in the Arctic national wildlife refuge**

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To: "blm\_ak\_coastalplain\_eis@blm.gov" &lt;blm\_ak\_coastalplain\_eis@blm.gov&gt;

Dear BLM,

I strongly oppose drilling, mining, hunting for sport, disturbance to the vegetation and animals of any kind in the Arctic national wildlife refuge. The animals that rely on the refuge for food, shelter, a safe place to mate and give birth have no where else to go. We do not need the small amount of oil we might get from the complete destruction of this valuable place. We have other energy options that are less harmful. All the scoping in the world will not justify this action. There is no way to drill, with the necessary infrastructure, roads, and pipelines, without leaving a toxic wasteland. Be a good steward of the land for all the citizens of the USA that own the land and refuse to allow exploration and drilling in the refuge.

Thank you for your consideration.

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