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[EXTERNAL] Coastal Plain Oil and Gas Leasing Program EIS1 message

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I oppose opening ANWR to oil development.

The Arctic sea ice is already in a death-spiral due to climate-change caused by global heating, as a result of fossil fuel induced CO2 added to our atmosphere. When it melts totally in summer a runaway green-house effect will likely follow and it's hard to imagine the Greenland ice cap not beginning to collapse causing sea-level rise to accelerate.

I have skied across ANWR from Kaktovik to Arctic Village and have spent weeks on the ground in summer photographing wildlife. It is a sacred place, a wild place, important for subsistence of the body and the soul. The world needs a few places like ANWR more than it needs the oil.

I have spent fifty adult years in Alaska and we'll be just fine without ruining this special place.

Thank you,

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