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**[EXTERNAL] Fwd: Oil drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge**

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**lee montecucco** <joeleemonte@hotmail.com>

Sat, Jun 16, 2018 at 10:27 PM

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

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**From:** [joeleemonte@hotmail.com](mailto:joeleemonte@hotmail.com)**Date:** June 16, 2018 at 10:24:20 PM PDT**To:** [blm\\_ak\\_coastalplain\\_EIS@blm.gov](mailto:blm_ak_coastalplain_EIS@blm.gov)**Subject:** Oil drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge

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