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**[EXTERNAL] re: Notice of Intent for Leasing EIS for oil & gas on Alaskan Coastal Plain**1 message

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Tue, Jun 19, 2018 at 9:34 AM

To: blm\_ak\_coastalplain\_EIS@blm.gov

Dear BLM Alaska,  
Department of Interior

In response to your public scoping process, I urge you to abandon these leasing plans that will ultimately jeopardize the greater ANWR ecosystem.

The greater good of the public, America, and the world environment are more important than looking for tax-cut offsets, a few regional jobs, and so-called energy security.

I am a republican(just barely), I pay taxes in the highest tax bracket, and I have worked in the petroleum industry. I DO NOT SUPPORT potentially spoiling pristine areas like ANWR, which benefit everyone, for the asymmetrical benefit of a very few....

Tax revenues will be marginal, very few jobs will be created, and very little energy "security" will be gained...

ANWR is one of the most valuable assets we have..keep it priceless.

Regards,

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P.s. if you would like to know more about why regional oil & gas flows from regions like Alaska have marginal trading and refining economics going forward, feel free to contact me..