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[EXTERNAL] Coastal Plain EIS

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To: blm_ak_coastalplain_EIS@blm.gov

Dear Sirs,

I wish to express my strong objections to an oil and gas leasing program within the Arctic National Refuge Coastal Plain area. Disturbing this ecologically sensitive area with exploration and drilling does not make economic, environmental, or cultural sense. This area has been protected by bipartisan political processes until a recent short-sided rider attached it to a tax bill, thereby circumventing thoughtful and appropriate debate. I join many others to implore the BLM caretakers to abandon such potentially damaging action. As a physician, I care deeply about the health of our citizenry and the health of the planet. Such action would threaten both.

Sincerely,
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