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[EXTERNAL] Coastal plain drilling

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To who it concerns:

The oil and gas industry have already proven they are unable to not only mitigate environmental impacts but also unwilling to clean up after themselves time and time again. You have 1.6 million acres up for lease. If you set aside 1.6 million acres for any single form of renewable energy production you would produce the same amount of energy you plan on extracting in a matter of years. And then have centuries worth of surplus energy. While those billions of barrels of crude oil will instead take vast amount of energy to extract, refine, transport and sell. Far more energy than you will receive by using every single drop of oil you could extract. Alaska is no where near any of our oil refineries and would require massive amounts of oil/fuel to simply transport that new oil around the globe. Stop playing the short game. The smart money is on renewable energy. IT LITERALLY MAKES ITSELF!

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