

Coastal Plain Oil and Gas
Leasing Program EIS
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Comments on Notice of Intent for
EIS for Coastal Plain Oil and Gas Leasing
Program, Alaska

Ms. Hayes,

I am writing in opposition to any and all oil and gas leasing or activity on the coastal plain, or any portion of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge. Any fossil fuel development will endanger the Porcupine Caribou Herd and the Gwich'in Peoples way of life.

Oil and gas development have no place in a wildlife refuge. We need to have some places alone. When industrial activities move in there will be disruption to the birthing grounds of the Caribou. Spills of oil, when they happen, and they will, will damage and pollute the land.

We must move away from fossil fuels in any case to have any chance to

avoid disastrous climate change.

Thank you for your time and
attention,

Sincerely,

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