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To Whom it may concern,

Drilling in the refuge of America's Serengeti is unconscionable.

Drilling would cause irreparable harm and leave precious and fragile ecosystem forever altered.

The National Wildlife Refuge possesses massive environmental and cultural importance.

The Refuge is one of the most diverse areas in the Arctic, with several notable species. Forty-two fish species, thirty-seven land mammals, & marine mammals, over two hundred resident and migratory bird species along with land animals, polar bears, wildlife species including musk oxen, Arctic wolves, Porcupine Caribou herds, wolverines,

This Refuge was established in 1960 to Preserve! and Protect! its unique wilderness, abundant wildlife and recreational value.

Many wildlife species rely on the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge for their habitat.

Oil spills and Climate change will totally affect our Arctic Refuge in an unhealthy and threatening way for the land, the wildlife and mammals living in the Refuge.

Once destroyed can never be recaptured.

No Arctic Drilling.

Thankyou, Susan Simone