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The coastal plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge should not be opened to drilling for oil or natural gas. It is vital habitat for many Arctic species and a accident there would be beyond catastrophic. No matter what, the world will run out of fossil fuels eventually. We should place less emphasis on maintaining forms of energy that WILL run dry and more emphasis on creating new, sustainable forms of energy for humanity's future . The economic dislocation from the loss of fossil fuel energy jobs can eventually be offset by growth in sustainable energy jobs. Not to mention, if global warming causes catastrophic climate change that kills us all, what will the economy matter?Thank you.

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