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[EXTERNAL] Notice of Intent Comment: Coastal Plain EIS1 message

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To: blm_ak_coastalplain_EIS@blm.gov

Dear Alaska BLM,

I used to guide in Alaska a decade ago, and never felt as lucky as I did when my work took me to the Arctic. Due to the sensitivity of the resource, the habitat and migration needs of the Porcupine Caribou Herd, and the immense importance that people and cultures place on the Coastal Plain, I ask you not to offer any drilling leases.

If forced to by Congress, I ask for a no surface occupancy designation, temporary roads, and the highest form of mitigation available to maintain the water quality, habitat and landscape permeability to migrating caribou. This region and this migration, one of the last such intact on Earth, is part of our international heritage on this planet. Please do not jeopardize it in order to fulfill a short-term political goal.

Sincerely,

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