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**[EXTERNAL] I oppose allowing oil exploration and drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge**

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**Mike Levy (mlhaiti@centurytel.net) Sent You a Personal Message**

Fri, Apr 20, 2018 at 4:59 PM

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To: blm\_ak\_coastalplain\_eis@blm.gov

Dear BLM Alaska,

I strongly urge the BLM to keep the ANWR free of activities such as oil exploration and drilling that will almost certainly have a profoundly and irrevocably negative impact on one of America's greatest natural treasures. The value of this great Refuge to our country's heritage and natural wealth is incalculable. The environmental sensitivity of the Refuge is particularly high. And the Alaskan Native communities such as the Gwich'in Nation are opposed to allowing oil drilling in the Refuge and we have an obligation to honor our commitments to these communities' rights and their view of these lands as sacred areas. The Porcupine Caribou are extremely important to the Gwich'in; the unacceptably high risk of harm to the health of the caribou herds from oil drilling adds to the preponderance of research recommending against allowing oil drilling in the refuge.

I urge you to reject oil drilling and help maintain this amazing national treasure for the enjoyment of our future generations.

Sincerely,

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