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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Statement of support for opening ANWR area 1002 for oil and gas exploration, development and production
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To whom it concerns:

This email is a personal statement of support for responsible development of the Alaska North Slope in the area known as ANWR Area 1002. This development should be strongly supported for the following reasons:

- Alaskan oil is a strategically important energy resource for the United States and the citizens of Alaska
- Development of this oil would provide resources necessary to support infrastructure development both onshore and offshore in the Arctic
- Said infrastructure is critical and strategic for both military and commercial reasons; Russia has a significant head start in both areas with military bases, ice breakers, and an LNG facility
- Development of this oil would provide income to AK Natives living on the North Slope and across Alaska
- Oil can be produced with minimal impact to the environment as proven by over 40 years safe production on the North Slope
- Oil produced from this area would significantly extend the life of the Trans Alaska Pipeline and reduce cost of transporting oil off the North Slope
- Development of ANWR is strongly supported by the majority of the citizens of Alaska, Alaska Native, and Alaska Native owned businesses
- This area has been identified by Congress as strong for its potential oil and gas resources
- Permitting and development processes exist to ensure responsible development will occur
- This is an area of pristine beauty similar to areas of the Trans Alaska Pipeline; measures will be implemented to ensure protection of the environment including wildlife in the area

Thanks, Jeff Doyle

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