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Subject: Icicle Manipulation Comments

Dear Mike,

Hope all is well. I am glad for the water use study in the Icicle. Two things concern me.

1. Eightmile Creek/ Mountaineer Creek runs right by my back door. Every time extra water is released from Colchuck Lake there is a tremendous sediment load suddenly flowing by. This is a completely unnatural condition for fish and people in late summer.

2. The continued use of helicopter support and further construction of dams in the Alpine Lakes Wilderness Area is blatantly at odds with the spirit of The Wilderness Act. I do not see how we can continue to call this wilderness if we make exceptions for our own over-population and profit.

If you need me I'm here. :)

Best regards,

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