



October 13, 2020

Dr. James Kendall, Regional Director
BOEM Alaska Office
3801 Centerpoint Drive, Suite 500
Anchorage, AK 99503
Re: Lower Cook Inlet Oil & Gas Lease Sale 258

Dear Dr. Kendall:

We're Alaskans and Americans who oppose more oil and gas leasing in Lower Cook Inlet.

We have attended hearings on past lease sales, and submitted thousands of comments. Yet BOEM has done nothing to respond to our concerns.

When Hilcorp sent a giant ship last Fall to blast seismic shock waves through our fisheries for weeks on end, BOEM did nothing aside from issue permits.

When we asked BOEM to conduct scientific studies in Cook Inlet, BOEM rejected our requests.

When we asked BOEM to delete tracts due to sensitive habitat, BOEM ignored us.

When we asked BOEM to pursue renewable energy in the federal waters of Cook Inlet, BOEM never responded.

Last year, federal managers shut down the Pacific cod fishery in the Gulf of Alaska, and for the first time in history, they blamed climate change for the closure.

Climate change is unfolding faster in Alaska than other parts of the planet, and as a result, we face an existential threat. Sadly, BOEM's drive to drill is aggravating that threat.

We will not waste our time with additional comments here. But please know we have lost trust in you and the federal government you represent.

See you in court.

Yours for Cook Inlet,

| | | | |
|---------|-----------|------------|----|
| Richard | Kenshalo | Salida | CO |
| Joseph | Jacob | Clam Gulch | AK |
| Aimee | Chartrand | Palmer | AK |
| Kalene | Chartrand | Palmer | AK |

| | | | |
|----------|------------|--------------|----|
| Eric | Zuber | Sterling | AK |
| Robin | McAllistar | Homer | AK |
| Jeff | Harvey | Palmer | AK |
| George | Chartrand | Palmer | AK |
| Jane | Tollefsrud | Keaau | HI |
| Michele | Palatas | Anchorage | AK |
| Tammie | Stoops | Anchorage | AK |
| Elisa | Russ | Fritz Creek | AK |
| N | Burrows | Anchorage | AK |
| Thomas | Kuehler | Denver | CO |
| Jaz | Odhner | Moose Pass | AK |
| Ellen | Americus | Cordova | AK |
| Ariel | Brown | Anchor Point | AK |
| April | Warwick | Anchorage | AK |
| Terry | Johnson | Anchorage | AK |
| Susan | Vogt | Fairbanks | AK |
| Ken | Landfield | Homer | AK |
| Laura | Baldwin | Anchorage | AK |
| Sue | Mauger | Homer | AK |
| Louis | Dupree | Homer | AK |
| Kim | Smith | Homer | AK |
| Paula | Sayler | Anchorage | AK |
| Leann | Ronsse | Anchorage | AK |
| Serge | Taran | El Cerrito | CA |
| Robert | Winckler | Wasilla | AK |
| Angela | Roland | Homer | AK |
| Amy | Bright | Homer | AK |
| Scott | Miller | Homer | AK |
| Maureen | Powers Rn | Homer | AK |
| Dee | Hunt | Chugiak | AK |
| Janet | Bailey | Eagle River | AK |
| Shelley | Gill | Homer | AK |
| Rick | James | Wasilla | AK |
| Tara | Kain | Anchor Point | AK |
| Brittany | Quales | Anchorage | AK |
| Miranda | Weiss | Homer | AK |
| Robert | Vernon | Homer | AK |
| Marjorie | Belieu | Homer | AK |
| Wynn | Levitt | Homer | AK |
| Jan | Conitz | Fairbanks | AK |
| Kristine | Hutchin | Eagle River | AK |

| | | | |
|----------------|-------------|----------------|----|
| Maureen | Knutsen | Naknek | AK |
| Patrick | Gallagher | Lake Placid | NY |
| Gregory | Whynott | Rochester | NH |
| Brenda | Koenig | Escondido | CA |
| James | Mulcare | Clarkston | WA |
| Nelson | Co | Homer | AK |
| Kevin | Hughes | Anacortes | WA |
| Diane | Wessing | Anchorage | AK |
| Diane | Patch | Homer | AK |
| Karen | Christopher | Homer | AK |
| Bridget | Maryott | Homer | AK |
| Suzanne | Torian | Homer | AK |
| James | Patton | Los Altos | CA |
| Kathleen | Doyle | Golden | CO |
| Jeanne | McNally | Youngstown | OH |
| Abby | Rizzo | Chico | CA |
| Bee | Long | Talkeetna | AK |
| Linda | Feiler | Anchor Point | AK |
| Ptery | Lieght | Anchorage | AK |
| Daniel | Zatz | Bend | OR |
| Deborah | Tobin | Homer | AK |
| Barb | Geiger | Houston | TX |
| Christine | Hall | Phoenix | AZ |
| Kelli | Palaka | Seward | AK |
| Rebecca | Siegel | Brevig Mission | AK |
| Michael | Elwin | Danville | CA |
| Joan | Bristol | Coatesville | PA |
| Dale | Melton | Coatesville | PA |
| Corinne | Khoury | Mount Pleasant | SC |
| Candice | Kotyky | Anchorage | AK |
| Dean | Sundmark | Homer | AK |
| Anne | Allman | Media | PA |
| Jesse | Thomas | Eagle River | AK |
| Alice | Weber | Tyonek | AK |
| Marja | Mullineaux | Homer | AK |
| Samantha | Emery | Anchorage | AK |
| Cathryn | Simon | Anchorage | AK |
| Dana | Markey | Holden | MO |
| Bob And Marina | Adickes | Anchor Point | AK |
| Nancy | Eyraud | Wasilla | AK |
| Alison | Rein | Seldovia | AK |

| | | | |
|----------|----------|-------------|----|
| Seth | Sherritt | Homer | AK |
| Melinda | Kamluck | Port Graham | AK |
| Vesta | Burnett | Banner Elk | NC |
| Lindsey | Wood | Homer | AK |
| Stacie | Clarke | Homer | AK |
| William | Clarke | Homer | AK |
| Courtney | Martin | Homer | AK |
| Rebecca | Clarke | Homer | AK |
| Sean | Den Adel | Cordova | AK |
| Sara | Woltjen | Homer | AK |
| Harold C | Smith | Homer | AK |
| Laura | Norton | Homer | AK |
| Denita | Higman | Seldovia | AK |
| Alexi | Charter | Santa Fe | NM |
| Meghan | Seeley | Portland | OR |
| Thomas | Tallant | Anchorage | AK |
| John | Getsi | Oak Ridge | TN |
| Kent | Johnson | Homer | AK |
| Carolyn | Johnson | Homer | AK |