



**SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD**  
**Section of Environmental Analysis**  
**Port MacKenzie Rail Extension Project**  
**Environmental Impact Statement**

**COMMENT FORM**

Your input is an important element in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement phase of this project. To help us incorporate your views and suggestions, please provide your comments below and mail them to the address preprinted on the back of this form. Please write legibly. You may attach additional sheets if necessary. Alternatively, you may submit your comments online at STB's Web site (<http://www.stb.dot.gov/>) by clicking on "E-Filing" and selecting "Environmental Comments" or by mailing a comment letter to the address provided on the back of this form.

Please include your name and address so that we can add you to our mailing list if you would like to receive subsequent information on the project. Thank you for taking the time to provide us with your comments.

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**What comments do you have about the Draft Environmental Impact Statement?**

My concern would be the invasion of the railroad  
into the Willow & Big Swamp area. This area  
needs to remain a playground for snowmachiners,  
dog teams, cross-country skiing, etc...  
If this route is unfortunately chosen I would at  
least like to see track crossings at all  
current trails west of Willow.  
Please don't limit recreational access to Alaska only  
to expand the profits of ARR.