

ALASKA ROADLESS RULE EIS

WEEKLY STATUS MEETING

Date/Time: November 27, 2018 11:00 a.m. Alaska

Location: Teleconference

Attendees		
Lauren McChesney, Forest Service	Sitka Pence, Forest Service	Ken Tu, Forest Service
Robert Nichols, Forest Service	Dave Cox, Tetra Tech	

Ken provided an update on the development of issues and alternatives, and feedback received from the cooperating agencies and the Regional Forester. Forest Service to provide an updated draft Chapter 2 (Alternatives), but they are still in development and subject to change.

- Three cooperating agencies provided written responses, including the State. Sitka emailed these to Dave during the meeting.
- Forest Service considering adding an alternative in response to the State's response.
- Meeting with the Deputy Chief in D.C. next Monday.
- Forest Service still intends to send final alternatives description to Tetra Tech on December 7. Ken offered to come to Bothell the following week to go over the alternatives, if needed.
- Key Issues. Nicole is working on the economics issue statement and Nicole and Robin are working on the wildlife/biodiversity issue statement. Expected to be done this week.
- Issues not covered in detail. Sitka is working on this write up and will provide it through Ken when ready. Tetra Tech to provide feedback.

Also, Tetra Tech provided some summary acreages to Ken over the weekend. Forest Service to review for consistency; need to ensure we are all working with the same data.