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I am in favor of removing the dam.

It has been a long time since salmon made their way up the Eklutna.

In the long run, removing the dam is the right thing to do for the Eklutna people, for public/park users, and for the fish.

It may be a much more costly alternative now, but it will not get less expensive in the future. And these salmon are a natural resource in the public trust that will continue to migrate up the Eklutna and spawn long into the future if the dam is removed.

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