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aS A 40 YEAR EAGLE RIVER RESIDENT WHO HAS ENJOYED THE BEST WATER IN ALASKA, I HATE TO SEE THESE VARIOUS OPTIONS PUT WATER AVAILABLITY AT RISK. THE RISK COULD BE SUPPLY OR CONTAMINATION. ALL PROPOSALS WILL JEOPARIZE THE SUSTAINABLE pOWER GENERATION AT THE EKLUTNA HYDRO PLANT. ALL WILL COST ADDITIONAL DOLLARS FOR POWER. AT A TIME WHEN WE ARE NATURAL GAS CONSTRAINED THAT DOES NOT MAKE ANY SENSE. WE NEED OUR ELECTRIC POWER AND OUR GOOD DRINKING WATER. NOW EVERYONE WANTS TO MAKE THIS ABOUT SALMON RETURNING TO LAKE eKLUTNA. i AM SORRY BUT IF YOU LOOK AT THE COSTS OF THE VARIOUS OPTIONS, WE CAN BUY SALMON FROM cOPPER rIVER OR THE KENAI AND DELIVER IT TO THE RESIDENTS OF EKLUTNA FOR EVERY. IT MAKE SO SENSE TO REMOVE THE DAM FOR FISH TO DIE IN THE LAKE. i HOPE THE GOVERNOR IS SMART ENOUGH TO SEE THIS FOR WHAT IT IS. A BIG WASTE OF MONEY.