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Paul Anderson Superintendent Denali National Park and Preserve P.O. Box 9 Denali Park, AK 99755

Dear Mr. Anderson:

The State of Alaska reviewed the Environmental Assessment (EA) for the proposal to construct two new trails in the entrance area of Denali National Park and Preserve (Denali).

I did not receive any formal comments from State agencies. However, the State appreciates the National Park Service's continuing efforts to improve trails in the entrance area of Denali, providing pedestrian connections between facilities and increasing recreational opportunities for park visitors.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. Please contact me at (907) 269-7529 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Susan E. Magee

ANILCA Project Coordinator

cc: Sally Gibert, ANILCA Program Coordinator